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THE DECLARATION OF FAITH OF THE KANSAS CITY COUNCIL

Adopted as the doctrinal standard of the Vermont Congregational Conference, May 20, 1914.

We believe in God the Father, infinite in wisdom, goodness, and love; and in Jesus Christ, His Son, our Lord and Saviour, who for us and our salvation lived and died and rose again and liveth evermore; and in the Holy Spirit, who taketh of the things of Christ and revealeth them to us, renewing, comforting, and inspiring the souls of men. We are united in striving to know the will of God as taught in the Holy Scriptures, and in our purpose to walk in the ways of the Lord, made known or to be known to us. We hold it to be the mission of the Church of Christ to proclaim the gospel to all mankind, exalting the worship of the one true God, and laboring for the progress of knowledge, the promotion of justice, the reign of peace, and the realization of human brotherhood. Depending, as did our fathers, upon the continued guidance of the Holy Spirit to lead us into all truth, we work and pray for the transformation of the world into the kingdom of God; and we look with faith for the triumph of righteousness and the life everlasting.

CONGREGATIONAL MINISTERIAL STANDING

In order to promote uniformity in Ministerial Standing as well as to indicate the qualifications that appear to be necessary from candidates for our ministry, the Vermont Conference of Congregational Churches adopts the following statement of principles and methods and recommends their adoption by Associations and Ordaining Councils.

A. Licensure

Licensure to preach and to conduct such ministrations in a parish as come within our ecclesiastical usage may be granted to persons who are in active preparation for ordination, or whom it may seem wise to encourage to render temporary or occasional service to the churches. It is the custom of our order, moreover, that no unordained person shall take charge of a pulpit or parish who is not so licensed. And it is earnestly suggested to our churches that they do not enlist the services of any unordained person who has not been licensed.

The licensing body is the Association of churches and ministers. It shall perform the public act of licensure, consisting of the reading of appropriate scripture passages and prayer.

The examining of candidates will be under the direction of the Association Committee on Ministerial Standing. The examination may be conducted by the State Conference Committee on Ministerial Standing, the candidate being expected to have pursued the equivalent of a standard course prepared by that Committee for the entire state.

A candidate for licensure shall be required to present a statement setting forth:

(a) His full name and address.

(b) His age and present occupation.

(c) The date and place of his first Church membership and of all succeeding Church memberships.

(d) The name of his present pastor, and the names of his teachers, or of others, who will vouch for his Christian character and ability to preach.

(e) A statement of his experience in Christian work.

(f) His Christian experience and call to the ministry.

A candidate for licensure shall be examined in:

(a) The nature and content of the books of the Bible.

(b) The doctrines of the Christian Church.

(c) Church History.

(d) The ability to prepare and deliver sermons, including the rules of composition, rhetoric, logic.

(e) Church polity, including the history, doctrine, and usage of the Congregational Churches.

(f) His knowledge of missionary organizations and work of the Christian Church, particularly of the Congregational Churches.

In case a candidate exhibits inadequate training in any of these subjects, his license may be withheld, or, if granted, its renewal may be conditioned upon his pursuing these subjects, or any of them, to the full satisfaction of the Association.

A printed certificate of Licensure (to be provided by the State Secretary) shall be issued by the Registrar of the Association to each licentiate. This certificate shall carry the right to administer baptism and the Lord's Supper, in case a fully ordained minister is not available for the service, provided such right has been formally confirmed by the Church to which he ministers.

Licensure shall usually be granted in the expectation that full preparation for ordination will be carried forward actively by the licentiate. The period of preparation should be long enough to enable the candidate to master a course of study equivalent to that prescribed by a theological seminary, usually a three years' course.

License shall be renewed each year as the candidate gives

evidence of credible progress in the course of study undertaken. But in the exceptional cases of persons who will give only temporary or occasional service to the churches, and who do not care to seek ordination, the license may be renewed for an indefinite period, after the second year.

(Adopted 1920 as recommended by a special committee on Licensure of the Board of Directors).

B. Ordination

Ordination is a prime requisite for full and regular standing in the Congregational ministry.

A candidate may be ordained to the full ministry of the Congregational Churches of Vermont where the following qualifications are found:

1. Spiritual and Moral.

The candidate should be recognized as of thorough consecration to his Lord, with definite religious experience and clear convictions. He should withal have a strong purpose to carry on the work of Christ as one called to the Christian ministry.

Not only should he be above reproach morally, but there should be evident in him a high moral purpose together with a keen and good moral judgment seasoned with discretion.

These qualities should be thoroughly and clearly recognized, since they are the indispensable and first requisites for ordination.

2. Native Fitness.

It is desirable also that there shall be real fitness for the work of the ministry in a native endowment and temperamen of the candidate. He should be qualified as well by taste and desire as by training and discipline.

3. Intellectual and Technical.

A candidate for ordination should expect to present satisfactory evidence of a college and theological seminary training, i. e., the degree of A. B. or its equivalent and the degree of B. D. or its equivalent. Further he ought at least to be acquain-

ted with the theory of the work of the ministry, the more experience which he has had with actual Christian work the better. It would be well to have ordination based on evidence of actual efficiency as shown in work during such a probationary period of licensure as has already been mentioned, as well as upon technical and theoretical training.

He should be required to know and be in hearty sympathy with the genius, ideals and history of the Congregational denomination and all its denominational agencies, together with its methods and polity. In a word he should be well informed about and in love with the Congregational way of engaging in the work of the Kingdom.

There are exceptional cases among candidates for ordination who have unusual qualifications for ministerial activities, but who lack the training of either seminary or college, or sometimes of both. It should be realized that such exceptions are rare and that the burden of proof that he is the worthy exception lies upon the candidate, but where it is clearly evident that it would be a mistake to withhold ordination, ordination may be granted to such persons when they have completed a course of preparation as full and as nearly duplicating the preparation gained in the regular channels as may be possible.

Such special preparation shall be under the direction of the Conference Committee on Ministerial Standing, and it is advised that no candidate for ordination shall be considered by an Association who has not secured a certificate of approval from the Committee.

This special preparation may consist:

(1) Of a course of training outlined by the Conference Committee on Ministerial Standing.

Or (2) A correspondence course in a Theological Seminary approved by the Conference Committee on Ministerial Standing.

Or (3) A special course under the direction of a Theological Seminary.

A candidate for ordination without the degrees of A. B.

and B. D. or their equivalents should not expect to be able to spend less time and do less work in preparation than those who have come through the regular channels of preparation and supervision. In the nature of the case he should anticipate harder and longer effort.

(The attention of candidates is called to the use of the General Theological Library, 53 Mt. Vernon St., Boston, where most of the reference books needed can be borrowed without cost.)

Upon evidence of satisfactory intellectual and technical training, or upon completion of such work under the above heads of (1), (2), (3), the Committee on Ministerial Standing shall issue a certificate to the effect that the candidate is entitled to ordination. This will serve as a guide and a credential to the Association in the ordination of a candidate.

A candidate for ordination must be a member of a Congregational Church.

C. Maintenance of Ministerial Standing

Ministerial credentials are vouched for by the local Associations of which the minister is a member.

A minister moving his residence from the limits of a local Association is expected to transfer his membership within two years or be in danger of losing his standing.

Local Associations are urged to vote the following additions to their by-laws:

First: All ministers who have permanently retired from the ministry to engage in business shall be dropped from the roll. This Association can no longer be responsible for, or vouch for, such persons.

Second: The ministerial membership of our Association shall consist: (1) of ministers in regular service over Churches connected with the Association; (2) superannuated or retired pastors; (3) missionaries on the home or foreign fields in active service or superannuated; (4) ministers who

are temporarily residing within the limits of the Association; (5) secretaries of benevolent societies and professors engaged in educational work.

D. Relationship to the Churches

Local Associations are urged to press upon their members and the Churches the importance of Installation, or at least, Recognition, of their ministers as duly set to serve them and to urge them to establish this relationship. This tends to safety, stability, dignity, unity and efficiency, while at the same time preserving our order in its high traditions.

Installation should be usually accomplished through the local Associations, rather than by special Council. No one should be installed or formally recognized as pastor of a Church who is not a member of the Congregational denomination. Nor should one be made a member of an Association who is not fully acquainted with Congregational ideals, history and polity and in hearty sympathy with the same, and a member of a Congregational Church.

Recognition, as well as Installation proceedings should require from the prospective minister a careful statement of his religious experience, theological beliefs and ideals, and from the Church an authoritative statement of its purpose in work and attitude towards the minister.

No permanent relationship between pastor and people should be assumed under any circumstances without such mutual understanding.

Either Installation, which is preferable, or Recognition services would be a desirable practice with our Churches and ministers in the state. This would make much for efficiency and dignity in the relationship between pastor and people, for the self respect and confidence of both, and be a great advantage in the estimation of the community.

E. Ministers from Other Denominations

A minister in another denomination may become Congre-

gational by taking successively all of the following steps; and it is desirable that such ministers shall not be recommended as candidates for the pastorates in our churches until they have definitely indicated their intention of taking such steps:

First, by securing an honorable dismission from ecclesiastical relationship with other denominations; second, by becoming a member of a local Congregational Church; third, by uniting with a Congregational Association, to whom he must submit full proof of his ministerial standing.

Ordination in other denominations should be carefully inquired into and satisfactory evidence should be had that such ordination represents no less than an equivalent of Congregational ordination, before such candidate shall be installed or recognized as minister in charge of a Congregational Church, or received into membership in a local Association, which thereby assumes the responsibility and vouches for him that he is a minister in full, good and regular standing in the denomination.

(Adopted at Annual Meeting, 1919, having been recommended by the Committee on Religious Education and the Ministry at the Annual Meeting in 1918 and laid on the table for one year at their request. Committee on Ministerial Standing established in 1920).

Officers of Congregational Benevolent Societies

American Board of Commissioners for Foreign Missions

Corresponding Secretaries—Rev. James L. Barton Rev. C. H. Patton, Rev. Edward L. Smith. Treasurer—Frederick E. Gaskins, Congregational House, Boston, Mass.

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President—Mrs. M. H. Buckham, Burlington. Secretary—Mrs. Edward Kirkland, Bellows Falls. Treasurer—Mrs. W. O. Lane, Burlington.

Vermont Domestic Missionary Society

Secretary—Rev. Charles H. Merrill St. Johnsbury. Associate Secretary—Rev. Charles Clarkson Merrill, Burlington. Treasurer—Dea. J. T. Ritchie, St. Johnsbury. Constituent part of Congregational Home Missionary Society.

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(Represented in Vermont by Vermont Domestic Missionary Society)

Secretary of Missions—Rev. Frank L. Moore. Secretary of Promotion—Rev. William S. Beard. Secretary Woman's Department—Miss Miriam L. Woodberry.

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Congregational Sunday School Extension Society

Secretary—Rev. W. Knighton Bloom.

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General Secretary—Rev. Frank M. Sheldon. Treasurer—Harry M. Nelson. Comprising

Congregational Education Society

Corresponding Secretary—Rev. Frank M. Sheldon. Social Service Secretary—Rev. Arthur E. Holt. Missionary Education Secretary—Rev. Herbert W. Gates. Religious Education Secretary for New England—Rev. W. V. Lytle.

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287 Fourth Avenue, New York City

Corresponding Secretaries—Rev. George L. Cady, Joseph Ernest McAfee. Associate Secretary—Rev. Samuel L. Loomis. Treasurer—Irving C. Gaylord. District Secretary for New England—Rev. George H. Gutterson, 14 Beacon Street, Boston, Mass.

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Vermont Woman's Home Missionary Union

(Auxiliary to All Home Societies)

President—Mrs. W. J. Van Patten Burlington. Secretary—Mrs. Evan Thomas, Burlington. Treasurer—Mrs. Max L. Powell, Burlington.

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President—Rev. Edward G. French, Johnson.
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Statistical Secretary—John M. Comstock, Chelsea.
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At Large—Charles I. Button, Middlebury; Rev. Stanley Cummings, St. Albans; Jonas H. Brooks, St. Johnsbury.

Representing Associations—Term Expiring 1921—P. T. H. Pierson, Bennington; John E. Tinker, Danville; H. D. Howe, Burlington; Rev. F. W. Day, Swanton; March M. Wilson, Randolph; Rev. R. A. Hamilton, Orleans; Rev. George E. Ladd, West Woodstock. Term Expiring 1922—Rev. William F. Frazier, Vergennes; Rev. Donald Fraser, Wells River; Carlton D. Howe, Morrisville; Rev. William A. McIntire, Danby; Rev. William J. Ballou, Chester; H. Gordon Woodruff, Montpelier; Rev. Herbert P. Woodin, Brattleboro.

BOARDS

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Fairbanks Board for Relief of Ministers—Rev. Charles H. Merrill, Alvin C. Noyes, Rev. Donald Fraser, Arthur F. Stone, Homer C. Wilson.

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Printing—Rev. C. H. Merrill, Mr. J. M. Comstock.

Arrangements for Next Meeting of Conference—Rev. W. F. Frazier, Hon. F. L. Fish, Rev. E. G. French, Rev. C. H. Merrill, Mrs. M. H. Buckham, Rev. F. N. Rutan.

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Religious Education—Rev. W. F. Frazier, Mr. Carlton D. Howe, Rev. J. C. Prince, Rev. H. P. Woodin, Rev. C. A. Adams.

Ministerial Standing—Rev. S. G. Barnes, Rev. F. L. Goodspeed, Rev. C. H. Smith, Rev. E. C. Fellowes.

Benevolence and Missionary Education—Mr. H. Gordon Woodruff, Mrs. W. J. Van Patten, Mrs. M. H. Buckham, Rev. G. E. Ladd, Mr. J. E. Tinker.

Evangelism—Rev. R. A. Hamilton, Rev. E. G. French, Rev. T. A. Carlson.

Recruiting for the Ministry—Rev. C. C. Adams, Rev. I. C. Smart, Rev. J. B. Sargent, Rev. H. C. Newell, Prof. Evan Thomas, Prof. C. V. Woodbury, Prof. C. B. Wright.

The Secretary of the Conference is ex-officio a member of all these committees.

OTHER OFFICERS

Committee on Nominations—Rev. H. L. Ballou, 1921; John R. Akin, 1922; Rev. Frederick B. Richards, 1923.

Trustees of Vermont Anti-Saloon League—Rev. Chas. E. Hayward, Rev. John M. Thomas, Rev. William Millar, C. P. Cowles, Justin R. Hoadley, E. B. Jordan.

Manager of Boston Seaman's Friend Society—Horace E. Pease.

Director of Vermont State Sunday School Association—Walter H. Crockett.

Directors of Board of Pastoral Supply—Rev. Herbert P. Woodin, Warner A. Graham.

Delegates to National Council—Term Expires in 1923—Ralph E. Flanders, Alternate, J. R. Hoadley; Term Expires in 1925—Rev. George S. Mills, Alternate, Rev. Chauncey A. Adams.

To Represent Vermont on Directorate of the Church Extension Board—Rev. J. C. Prince, Carlton D. Howe.

NEXT ANNUAL MEETING

The next meeting will be at Vergennes, May 10-12.

Preacher—Rev. George A. Buttrick.

Alternate—Rev. James B. Sargent.

MINUTES

The One Hundred Twenty-fifth Annual Meeting of the Vermont Congregational Conference convened in the Center Congregational Church at Brattleboro, Tuesday, May 11, 1920, at 2.00 P. M.

The meeting was called to order by the President, George L. Dunham of Brattleboro. Scriptures were read and prayer offered by Rev. Richard H. Bosworth of Townshend.

Rev. Ola R. Houghton of Wallingford was elected Scribe and Rev. Arthur V. Woodworth of West Brattleboro, Assistant Scribe.

The following were appointed as a Business Committee and confirmed by vote of the Conference: Rev. Leland A. Edwards, Newport; Hon. A. W. Dickens, Middlebury; Dr. W. G. Ricker, St. Johnsbury.

The Conference Roll was as follows:

Churches	Pastor	Delegate
Andover-Simonsville	Elmer H. Stevens	
Barnet-McIndoe Falls	Chas. B. Bliss	
Barre	Frank L. Goodspeed	Mrs. O. G. Stickney
Barton		Mrs. F. W. Baldwin
Bennington, Second	George S. Mills	Mrs. Geo. S. Mills
Bennington, North	William R. Hamlin	
Benson	David H. Strong	
Berkshire, East	William R. Price	Mrs. Moffatt
Berkshire, Second	Richard A. Burn	
Berlin	Frank Blomfield	
Brandon	Walter Thorpe	
Brattleboro, First West	Arthur V. Woodworth	L. F. Clark
Brattleboro, Center	Herbert P. Woodin	E. C. Crosby
Brattleboro, Swedish	Anders O. Peterson	A. H. Erickson
Brighton-Island Pond	Robert Lawton	Leonard F. Jones
Brownington and Orleans	Rolla A. Hamilton	Mrs. Frank Harvey
Burlington, First	Chauncey C. Adams	F. W. Nash
Burlington, College St.		Prof. S. F. Emerson
Cabot	Morton W. Hale	
Castleton	Robert G. McLeod	
Charlotte	Frederick N. Rutan	Mrs. Rura J. Holmes
Chelsea	John A. Lawrence	Edward B. Hatch
Chester	William J. Ballou	Mrs. W. M. Stevens
Corinth, East	E. P. Cutler	Mrs. Brown
Cornwall	C. R. Hamlin	Mrs. C. R. Hamlin
Danby	William A. McIntire	Mrs. W. A. McIntire
Danville	Chauncey A. Adams	J. E. Tinker
Derby	Frank E. Davison	
Dorset		Mrs. Clifton Kent
Dorset, East	William A. McIntire	
Dummerston		Adin P. Miller

Eden	Frank L. Stacy	
Enosburg	Richard A. Burn	
Franklin	Arthur Brotherston	
Grafton	G. E. Congdon	
Guilford	A. V. Woodworth	Faith Fairbanks
Hartford, Second		Horace C. Pease
Hartford-Wilder	Leland G. Chase	
Hartland	Edward C. Fellowes	Mrs. E. C. Fellowes
Jamaica	L. H. Sprague	John S. Robinson
Kirby	Herbert J. Hinman	
Londonderry	Frederick C. Taylor	
Lowell	Frank L. Stacy	
Ludlow		Fred H. Smith
Lyndon	Robert Clark	Mrs. E. A Pierre
Lyndon-Lyndonville	Herbert J. Hinman	Mrs. C. S. Forsyth
Manchester	Sidney K. Perkins	Mrs. S. K. Perkins
Marlboro	Henry H. Shaw	
Middlebury		Albert W. Dickens
Middletown Springs		Mrs. Alice W. Gray
Montpelier	Chas. N. St. John	
Newbury	Henry S. Ives	Mrs. H. S. Ives
Newbury-Wells River	Donald Fraser	Mrs. D. Fraser
Newbury, West	William J. McNeill	
Newfane	F. B. Hyde	Mrs. Lura M. DeWitt
Newport	Leland A. Edwards	
Peacham		Mrs. Laura Palmer
Pittsford	Edward P. Treat	
Pittsford-Florence	Edward P. Treat	
Pomfret, North	George E. Ladd	
Putney	J. W. Crippen	Frank S. Hewitt
Randolph Center	H. A. Barker	
Randolph, Bethany	Fraser Metzger	M. M. Wilson
Richmond	S. G. Barnes (Acting)	
Rochester		Mrs. E. C. Harvey
Rockingham-Saxtons River	George F. Chapin	Fay S. Fuller
Rockingham-Bellows Falls	John C. Prince	Dea. C. W. Osgood
Royalton, South	J. H. Moseley	
Rupert	J. Duke King	Mrs. J. D. King
Rutland	George A. Buttrick	Henry A. Harmon
St. Albans	Stanley Cummings	Wm. D. Chandler
St Johnsbury, North	Frederick B. Richards	E. C. Smith
Salisbury	David Reid	
So. Hero & Grand Isle	A. B. Hoag	Mrs. A. B. Hoag
Springfield		H. D. Casey
Strafford	P. H. Fisk	Mrs. P. H. Fisk
Townshend	R. H. Bosworth	Rev. S. L. Vincent
Townshend, West	W. F. Bissell	
Troy, North	C. E. Hayward	C. J. Strand
Vergennes	William F. Frazier	
Vershire	George H. Dierlamm	Mrs. G. H. Dierlamm
Wallingford	Ola R. Houghton	
Wallingford, South	Ola R. Houghton	Maybell A. Roberts
Wardsboro, South	Arthur J. Green	
Waterbury	Edward C. Hayes	
Weathersfield, First		Mrs. W. B. Page
Weathersfield-Ascutney-ville	O. W. Peterson	Miss May Lawrence
Westminster	Edward W. Wild	Rollo Metcalf
Westminster, West	Walter R. Curtis	Mrs. W. R. Curtis
West Rutland		Frank A. Morse
Whiting	B. L. Chase	
Williamstown	Charles E. Walsh	Miss Mary E. Waterman
Wilmington	W. C. Clark	Mrs. W. C. Clark
Windham	L. H. Metcalf	Mrs. Hattie P. Jones
Windsor, Old South	Burton A. Lucas	Mrs. B. A. Lucas
Woodbury, South	Morton W. Hale	
Woodstock		Miss May Harvey

MEMBERS EX-OFFICIO NOT OTHERWISE LISTED

President—George L. Dunham.

Secretary—Rev. Charles C. Merrill.

Statistical Secretary—John M. Comstock.

Treasurer—F. W. Baldwin.

Directors—Mrs. M. H. Buckham, C. D. Howe.

Committees—Rev. Henry L. Ballou, Dr. W. A. Ricker.

Vermont Domestic Missionary Society—President, N. G. Williams; Secretary, Rev. C. H. Merrill; Pastor-at-Large, Rev. Andrew S. Bole; Assistant Treasurer, C. H. Newell.

Summary—Pastors, 63; Delegates, 61; Ex-officio, 14; Total 138. Churches represented 93.

President George L. Dunham welcomed the Conference on behalf of the Brattleboro Church and Rev. Herbert P. Woodin, Chairman Committee of Arrangements, presented the program.

The Report of the Fairbanks Board of Education was presented by Rev. F. B. Richards in the absence of Gilbert E. Woods, Treasurer. The report was accepted and approved as follows:

St. Johnsbury, Vt., May 7, 1920

Gilbert E. Woods, Treasurer, in Account with the Fairbanks Education Board

Dr.

1919				
May	15	To cash on hand	$270.56	
		To Income from Investments	845.36	
				$1,115.92

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By paid aid two students	$150.00	
By amount transferred to savings account	300.00	
By cash on hand	665.92	

The invested funds are as follows:

5 shares E. & T. Fairbanks & Co. Limited	$ 500.00
Mahaffey Mortgage loan	1,700.00
Hanson Mortgage loan	1,300.00
W. S. Rice, land	1,200.00
33 shares Fairbanks, Morse & Co.	3,300.00
12 shares Western Union Telegraph Co.	1,200.00
16 shares Pennsylvania Railroad Company	800.00
2 shares First National Bank, St. Johnsbury	200.00
First Mortgage bond, E. & T. Fairbanks & Co.	1,000.00
Anglo-French 5% bond	1,000.00
Russian Government, 6½% credit	1,000.00
Second Liberty Loan, 4¼% bonds	1,000.00
Savings Deposit, Citizens Savings Bank & Trust Company	1,481.93
Check Account, Citizens Savings Bank & Trust Company	665.92
	$16,347.85

St. Johnsbury, Vt., May 7, 1920

I hereby certify that I have examined the accounts of Gilbert E. Woods, Treasurer of the Fairbanks Education Board, for the year ending May 7, 1920, and find the same correct, there being proper vouchers for all payments, there being cash balance on checking account $665.92, and on Savings Account $1481.93. The other securities belonging to the Board have also been examined and are all as set forth in above statement.

(Signed) J. C. CLARK, Auditor

The Report of the Fairbanks Board for Ministerial Relief, Alvin C. Noyes, Treasurer, was presented by Rev. C. H. Merrill, and accepted and approved as follows:

Statements of Account of Fairbanks Board for Relief of Ministers for Year Ending May, 1, 1920

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Cash on hand May 1, 1919	$1,051.48
Received from churches of Vermont	273.94
Received from Congregational Board of Ministerial Relief, New York, on	

division of receipts from Vermont churches during the year 1919	363.07	
Investments paid	2,000.00	
Income from Investments	1,665.89	
		$5,354.38

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Aid rendered to fourteen beneficiaries	$1,372.50	
Funds Invested	2,650.00	
Interest paid on Investments purchased	9.52	
Treasurer's salary	25.00	
Sundry expenses	4.25	
Balance of cash on hand May 1, 1920	1,293.11	
		$5,354.38

The amount of invested funds on May 1, 1920 stands at $30,224.56

(Signed) ALVIN C. NOYES, Treasurer

This certifies that I have this day examined the accounts of Alvin C. Noyes, Treasurer, and find the same correct with proper vouchers for all disbursements, and the balance of cash on hand as stated, Twelve Hundred Ninety Three and 11-100 Dollars ($1,293.11). I have also verified the above statement of investments.

(Signed) J. C. CLARK, Auditor

St. Johnsbury, Vt., May, 1920

The report of the Committee on Benevolence and Missionary Education, H. D. Howe, Chairman, was presented by Rev. A. V. Woodworth, and was accepted and adopted as printed. (See Appendix D).

The report of Committee on Recruiting the Ministry, Rev. Fraser Metzger, Chairman, was presented by him and accepted by the Conference as printed. (See Appendix E).

The report of Committee on Civic Justice and Community Service was presented by George L. Dunham, Chairman. After much discussion, the report was recommitted.

After a short recess, Rev. Lewis T. Reed, New York, presented "The Relation between the Annuity Plan and the Pilgrim Memorial Fund."

Rev. Clifford H. Smith, New York, presented the claims of "The International Congregational Council of 1920."

The Conference sermon was by Rev. Donald Fraser, Wells River, from the text, Luke 24:15 and was followed by the celebration of the Communion, Rev. Albert B. Hoag of South Hero and Rev. Stanley Cummings of St. Albans officiating, assisted by Deacons Henry Harmon, F. H. Smith, George M. Clay and George H. Clapp. Rev. C. H. Merrill pronounced the benediction.

EVENING SESSION

Evening session was called to order by the President and the devotional service was led by Rev. Herbert J. Hinman, Lyndonville, the Male Quartette of Center Church assisting.

The annual memorial service for "Our Ministers Who Have Died During the Year" was conducted by John M. Comstock, Chelsea, and Rev. William C. Clark of Wilmington, who offered the prayer.

Statistical Secretary Comstock then made his annual statistical report under the title "Vermont Congregationalism in the Tercentenary Year."

The address of the evening, "The Call of the Present Hour," was delivered by the Rev. Frank L. Goodspeed, Barre, after which the Conference adjourned for the day with benediction by Rev. J. D. King, Rupert.

WEDNESDAY MORNING SESSION

After the singing of a hymn the report of Committee on Evangelism was given by Rev. Edward P. Treat, Chairman, and accepted. (See Appendix G).

The amended report of the Committee on Civic Justice and Community Service was given by the Chairman, George L. Dunham, and after extended discussion it was voted that the Business Committee provide further time for discussion.

The Conference was led in Meditation and Prayer, on the subject, "Thy Will Be Done," by Rev. Paul Dwight Moody of New York City.

The report of the Committee on Nominations was given by the Chairman, Rev. Henry L. Ballou, and Officers, Boards and Committees were elected in accordance therewith:

See list on pages 14-16, it being understood that members ex-officio and hold over members of Boards and Committees, and Committees of the Board of Directors, given in that list, were chosen at other times.

Rev. Charles C. Merrill was unanimously reelected Secretary of the Conference by a rising vote, on nomination of the Board of Directors.

The Treasurer's Report was presented by Frederick W. Baldwin of Barton, Treasurer, and was accepted as follows:

Frederick W. Baldwin, Treasurer

In Account with Congregational Conference of Vermont

Debit

To cash to balance as per Auditor's report	$ 109.11	
Cash received as follows:		
Addison Association, dues	136.24	
Bennington Association, dues	98.56	
Caledonia Association, dues	200.24	
Chittenden Association, dues 1918	181.50	
Essex Association, dues	9.68	
Franklin and Grand Isle Association, dues	90.72	
Grafton-Orange Association, dues	74.96	
Lamoille Association, dues	57.44	
Orange Association, dues	94.88	
Orleans Association, dues	125.04	
Rutland Association, dues	225.04	
Union Association, dues	86.88	
Washington Association, dues	162.56	
Windham Association, dues	174.21	
Windsor Association, dues	122.56	
Borrowed money	900.00	
		$2,849.62

Credit

By paid orders as follows:		
National Council	$1,193.92	

Board Pastoral Supply	372.85	
Conference Expenses 1919	78.90	
Printing Minutes 1919	231.94	
General Printing bill	52.01	
Directors Expenses, Executive Committee	84.89	
Rev. Charles C. Merrill, expenses National Council	44.06	
Rev. Charles C. Merrill, expenses Dartmouth College Meeting	9.66	
Committee Religious Education, expense	17.50	
Borrowed money and interest on same	614.33	
John M. Comstock, Statistical Secretary, salary and expenses	83.36	
Frederick W. Baldwin, Treasurer, expense	18.30	
		$2,801.72
Balance in treasury		$47.90
There is due from Associations:		
Chittenden Association, dues 1919	198.00	
Union Association, dues 1919	1.12	
		$199.12

There is outstanding, unpaid, to Burlington Savings Bank one note of $300, and interest.

Auditor's Statement:

I have this day examined the books and vouchers and accounts of your Treasurer, Frederick W. Baldwin, as given above, and find them correct.

Dated at Barton, Vt., this 10th day of May, A. D., 1920.

(Signed) WALLACE H. GILPIN, Auditor

At 10.00 A. M. the Conference adjourned to give place for the meeting of the Vermont Domestic Missionary Society.

AFTERNOON SESSION

The afternoon session was called to order at 1.30 for discussion of the Report of the Committee on Civic Justice and Community Service.

The Report of the Committee was accepted and the recommendations adopted, as amended, as follows:

I. Recognizing Sunday as one of God's best gifts to man, we urge upon all our people by precept and example to conserve the higher spiritual and religious values of the day, and

at the same time approve and recommend a change in our state laws relating to Sunday observance which will leave questions of recreation on that day to the individual conscience and to local option, subject to such regulation as will prevent infringement on the right of all to a quiet day of rest and worship.

We desire, however, to go on record as being unalterably opposed to any measures that will legalize commercialized recreation of any sort on Sunday.

II. That we stand strongly behind our officials in upholding the Constitution as regards prohibition.

III. That it is the sense of this Conference that the ministers and laymen co-operate in all possible ways with the State Board of Charities and Probation and be ready to act as investigators or agents of said Board if requested to do so.

IV. That we recognize the strategic position occupied by the Red Cross toward contributing to the welfare of the community in that it may enlist the interests of all the people of all sects in a common effort, and that we urge our Congregational churches to give the Red Cross their most cordial support.

V. That we favor such additional legislation relating to marriage as will eliminate abuses and perfect as far as possible our marriage laws.

The Report of the Board of Directors was accepted and its recommendations adopted. (See Appendix A).

The Report of the Committee on the Interchurch Movement was given by Rev. Donald Fraser of Wells River, Chairman, was accepted. (See Appendix C).

The Report of the Committee on Licensure was given by Rev. E. P. Treat of Pittsford, Chairman, and its recommendations adopted. (See Appendix G).

The recommendation of the Business Committee was adopted as follows:

"That the two young people applying for aid receive such consideration from the Fairbanks Board of Education while securing their education to become missionaries as the conditions of the will permit."

A Report of the Committee on Religious Education was given verbally by Rev. William F. Frazier of Vergennes and accepted. The report stated that the Committee had held a meeting and had carefully prepared and sent to the pastors a statement of principles and suggestions for religious education.

The Conference was led in Meditation and Prayer on the subject, "Thy Kingdom Come," by Rev. Paul Dwight Moody.

Two addresses were given on "The Men Who Sailed the Mayflower" by Rev. Merritt A. Farren, Secretary, of Boston, and Horace E. Pease of Hartford, Manager for Vermont of the Boston Seaman's Friend Society.

After a recess of five minutes, a report of the Congregational Board of Pastoral Supply was given by Rev. Arthur J. Covell, Boston.

Miss Laura H. Wild, Professor of Biblical Literature in Mount Holyoke College, gave an address on "Our Pilgrim Mothers and the Task of Their Daughters."

Then followed three addresses on "The Youth of Vermont":

I. "The Program of the Y. M. C. A." by Ernest L. Rand, State Director of Educational Work.

II. "The Program of the Y. W. C. A." by Field Secretary Miss Marion Gary of Rutland.

III. "The Program of the Pilgrim Churches" by Rev. Charles N. St. John of Montpelier.

The afternoon session closed with the benediction by Rev. George F. Chapin of Saxtons River.

EVENING SESSION

The scripture was read and prayer offered by Rev. Sidney K. Perkins, Manchester. The choir of the Center Congregational church sang and a solo was sung.

By unanimous consent Frederick W. Baldwin introduced the following resolution referring to action of afternoon regarding the report on Civic Justice:

Whereas, this Conference in the report of the Committee

of Civic Justice and Community Service has recommended that the statutes of Vermont be amended looking to the better observance of the Sunday law and of the statute with relation to marriage.

Resolved, that the Secretary of this Conference and the Chairman of the Committee on Civic Justice and Community Service be instructed to keep in touch with the bills that come before our next Legislature, and see so far as in their power that the recommendations named above be carried out.

Rev. Paul Dwight Moody of New York City spoke on the subject, "Some Modern Factors for Church Unity."

The final address of the day was by Rev. Cornelius H. Patten, Boston, his subject being, "The Rising Tide of Christianity in the Far East."

THURSDAY MORNING

A devotional service was conducted by Rev. E. P. Cutler of East Corinth.

An address on "We Ourselves Must Pilgrims Be" was given by Rev. Frederick B. Richards of St. Johnsbury.

The following resolutions were proposed by the Business Committee and adopted:

Resolved: That this Conference place upon record its hearty appreciation of the faithful and efficient service rendered to the Congregational churches of Vermont and to the Kingdom of Christ, by the Rev. Charles C. Merrill and all those associated with him in the management of the campaign now drawing to a successful conclusion, by which our quota of one hundred thirty thousand dollars will be contributed to the support of the Interchurch World Movement.

Resolved: That the Vermont Congregational Conference of 1920 wishes hereby to express to the Center Congregational Church of Brattleboro its most sincere thanks for the thoughtful care and generous hospitality extended to it by the pastor and people of said church, during this its annual gathering.

George L. Dunham and Rev. Chauncey C. Adams were reelected representatives from this Conference on the Congregational World Movement Commission.

It was voted that the Conference endorse the action of

the Board of Directors in arranging for the participation of the churches of the state in the Congregational World Movement.

It was voted to refer the question of the eligibility of the director from the Grafton-Orange Association to the Board of Directors.

Rev. W. V. Lytle, recently appointed Religious Education Secretary for New England of the Congregational Education Society, was introduced to the Conference and spoke a few words of greeting.

An address on "The Interchurch World Movement in Vermont" was given by Rev. William A. Davison, Burlington, Chairman State Advisory Committee.

The final address was given by Professor Samuel F. Emerson, Burlington, on "The Pilgrim Contribution to Three Centuries of American Protestantism."

It was voted that the question of the widest possible circulation of the address of Professor Emerson be referred to the Secretary with power to act as he sees fit for the Conference.

The Secretary referred to the retirement from the Board of Directors by constitutional limitation, of Rev. Chauncey C. Adams, George L. Dunham, Rev. Edward P. Treat, Justin R. Hoadley and Rev. L. M. Isaacs (who also leaves the state), who had served on the Board since the re-organization of the Conference and Missionary Society work in 1917 and had by their fidelity and efficiency rendered historic service to the churches of the state.

The Minutes and Roll were read and corrected.

The Conference closed with a hymn and benediction by Rev. Herbert P. Woodin.

GEORGE L. DUNHAM, President
O. R. HOUGHTON, Scribe
A. V. WOODWORTH, Ass't Scribe

REPORT OF STATISTICAL SECRETARY

Vermont Congregationalism in the Tercentenary

The 125th meeting of the body representing Vermont Congregationalism comes to Brattleboro, a town of much historical interest, not only in the political, but also in the religious history of the state. Here was the first stated Congregational and Protestant preaching in the state. The Massachusetts troops who garrisoned Fort Dummer had a chaplain as early as 1728 and for a long time thereafter. He was of course of the Congregational order. There was no church organization in the state until 1762, thirty-four years later, and none in Brattleboro until 1770, but the fort had regular religious services for such time as the garrison remained here.

This is the sixth meeting of the state body in Brattleboro, under various vicissitudes of name and composition. The first was in 1806, when nine ministers of the state, with two visiting delegates, composed the "General Convention of Congregational and Presbyterian Ministers of the State of Vermont," meeting in the house of the pastor of the First church. The subsequent meetings, in 1855, 1872, 1891, and 1905, have been with the church which now welcomes us, and in this its house of worship.

In paying the usual tribute to the ministers deceased during the year, it seemed likely that no name would be recorded of a pastor of a Vermont church dying in office or of any Congregational minister dying within the state, but the last week has witnessed the passing of Wesley W. Smith, pastor at Bakersfield and for fifteen years a highly regarded minister of Vermont churches. Edward B. Harris, the Methodist pastor ministering to the few Congregational folk joined with his own people at Waterville, has also died in the harness. Of former pastors of our churches dying within the year, Elihu Loomis dates back the farthest in time, as his service as the first minister of the North Pownal church began seventy years ago. In the next decade was Eldridge Mix, who was with the First church of Burlington five years in the sixties.

In the seventies, Orson C. Dickerson, Samuel B. Sherrill, George W. Osgood, and William P. Alcott had short pastorates in Vermont, and William S. Blaisdell's service of seven years began in that decade. Early in the eighties began Sanford S. Martyn's sixteen years in Vermont, and a little later O. Franklin Thayer's nine years of service. In the nineties began Oliver Brown's five years, the five years of John H. Reid, the six years of Gabriel H. DeBevoise, and Ernest C. Davis' brief service of less than a year. Of dates that seem recent to the younger men there is only Walter E. Baker, who closed a six years' pastorate in 1917. To these should be added three natives of the state whose work was elsewhere,—Joseph B. Davison, born in Stratton, Frederick W. Greene, in Brattleboro, and William W. Ranney, in Bennington.

The number of churches reported in the annual statistics is 215, unchanged from last year. But since the beginning of the year the number has been diminished by the union of the First and Second churches of Brookfield, a union which has long been recognized as highly desirable, but which has been slow in accomplishment. A division resulting from a violent difference of opinion over seventy years ago has at last been healed. The members of Second church have been received into the First, and the house of worship of the Second, the original bone of contention, becomes the local habitation of the united body.

Local newspapers bring reports of the recent formation at Stowe of a "community church," but it does not yet appear how the status of our church and of the two others who have entered into federation with it is affected,—whether they go out of existence and a single undenominational body results, or whether the new organization is a sort of "superchurch," existing above the others but not superseding them. More light is wanted.

There is no change of importance in the condition of the churches as to pastoral supply. Owing to the many combinations now existing, the number of fields unsupplied with

preaching has been perceptibly reduced, and further improvement is likely. Installation is not gaining in prevalence, there being now only sixteen installed pastors in the state, and one recognized by council. Two councils for ordination have been held during the year, one for installation, one for recognition, and three for dismission.

In discussing the annual statistics, which are to appear in the national Year-Book and the state Minutes and apply strictly to the year ending December 31, the secretary must beg indulgence. In an unguarded moment he ventured to say in the report presented a year ago that in view of the large accessions to the churches at Easter of last year a substantial gain in membership during the year was assured. The outcome should be a salutary warning that history is a safer role for the reporter than prediction. No gain in membership appears, but rather a loss, the present total, 23,083, being smaller by 155 than the total of the preceding year. The explanation is twofold. The additions for the year, 749 by confession, 508 by letter, total 1257, while larger than the average, are not exceptional. The stress of pastoral evangelism of the year manifestly had almost its entire effect in the pre-Easter campaign and in the churches participating at that time. The removals, 364 by death, 582 by letter, 466 by revision, total 1412, have never been equaled. The loss by revision is much the largest ever reported, and the number of dismissions by letter has been reached but once. There is a probable cause in a vote of the last Conference, changing the basis of the annual assessment from resident to total membership. This seems to have served to quicken the zeal for reducing the non-effective list by encouraging absentees to take letters or in default of this by resorting to more drastic measures. One church has removed 141 names from its roll by revision, and others have followed this course in a less degree. A similar phenomenon may be expected the present year. Naturally the non-resident membership is reduced in number, but the decrease, 108, is smaller than the decrease in entire membership, so that the

resident membership is 47 less than last year.

The additions by confession were to 102 churches, a smaller number of churches thus sharing than in the preceding year, while 111 have received additions by letter. 79 churches have no additions. The following received ten or more by confession: Randolph, 41; East Braintree, 29; Newport, 25; Burlington First, 22; Barre, 20; Swanton, 19; Morrisville and Pittsford, 18 each; Peacham, Rutland, and North Troy, 17 each; East Berkshire, Hardwick, St. Johnsbury South, and Waterbury, 16 each; Fair Haven and St. Johnsbury North, 15 each; Bennington Second, Craftsbury, Wells River, Bellows Falls, and Woodstock, 13 each; East Barre, Danville, and Middlebury, 12 each; Coventry, Essex Junction, and Jericho Second, 11 each; Bakersfield, West Brattleboro, Johnson, and Westminster, 10 each. These data, it must be remembered, are for the calendar year 1919.

For another year we have to face a loss in Sunday school membership, the present number, 17,819, being 596 smaller than the number reported last year, at which time, it will be remembered, a loss of 1408 was reported. There is a slight improvement in membership of young people's societies, 3783, a gain of 83; and in men's and boys' organizations, whose membership, 1772, is 64 more than last year.

The most encouraging aspect of the figures of the year is in the columns of benevolence. The amount received on the apportionment, $47,162, nearly equals the goal aimed at, which was $48,000, and is $10,962 more than was received the year before. Other Congregational gifts, $10,962, are at a gain of $1,372, and undenominational gifts, $8,615, at a gain of $1,210. These last two are imperfect, many churches failing to make a report. By a special dispensation, it has been promised that in the Vermont tables in the Year-Book, a blank and not a cipher shall represent "no report." Under "Other Congregational" it is not intended to include payments of subscriptions to the Pilgrim Memorial Fund, but in some cases they may have crept into the reports.

Home expenses might be expected to show an increase, and they have done so, to the amount of $30,210, the total now reported being $272,383. As little of this went into new building or repairs, much the larger part must represent increased stipend for pastors. Seventeen churches have received legacies to an amount of $15,154. Invested funds, held by 158 churches with a total of $688,378, have increased $22,847, considerably more than the legacies. Increased appraisal of real estate largely accounts for the gain of $71,200 in valuation of church property, now reported at $2,542,700.

The items that will now be given have to do with the year ending with the date of this meeting, and not with the year of the statistical tables. The high cost of materials and labor may explain the few items of building and repairs. The largest of these seems to be at West Newbury, where the church voted last summer to sell its parsonage and build a new one nearer the meeting house. This is now practically completed, at a cost of $2,500. At West Rutland the meeting house, now used by the three federated churches, has been renovated and redecorated, and a rededicatory service was held November 11. At Westfield, $800 to $900 has been expended on the parsonage. Smaller amounts have been expended on the house of worship, parsonage, or other church property at Bakersfield, Bethel, Coventry, Quechee (on parish house), Chelsea (on pipe organ), Greensboro, Weybridge. At East Barre a new bell takes the place of one fractured in the victory celebration of November 11, 1918. A parsonage has been bought at Hardwick.

A few legacies are reported as shortly to be received,—$2,000 at Bellows Falls, $2,000 at Berlin from the estate of the lately deceased clerk, $728 at Bristol. $200 at Chester, $100 at Chelsea. St. Johnsbury South receives a gift of $2,000 from the family of a deceased deacon, to form a fund. There is a gift of $1,000 at Townshend, to be used in the same manner. At Bradford a service was held November 9 for the dedication of a gift of four memorial windows. At East Barre an aux-

iliary furnace is the gift of a member of the church. East Fairfield receives the gift of an individual communion service.

Two anniversaries have been formally observed,—the 25th anniversary of the East Barre church, and the centennial at Marlboro of the dedication of the house of worship, the church organization being much older.

The movement for consolidation of churches in the interest of efficiency and to prevent the scandal of a divided Christianity has made progress during the year, but there was not opportunity to accomplish as much as in the preceding year. At Richmond, the Congregational and Universalist churches have federated, and at West Charleston, Colchester, and Grafton the Congregational and Baptist, while at Essex a lapsed federation has been restored. At South Hero and Grand Isle an arrangement has been made with the Methodists whereby the former town becomes Congregational territory and the latter Methodist, replacing the long prevailing custom by which each minister preached each Sunday to both communities. Our own churches at Orwell and Sudbury have formed a federation for closer fellowship and more efficient work, but this is a federation of a different type.

Unclassified items of news include the continuance for the fifth season of union Sunday evening meetings by the two churches of our order in St. Johnsbury in a moving picture theatre, and the discussion of a community and parish house proposition by these churches. The North church has substituted for the Christian Endeavor Society a "Carry On Society" for its young people, meeting at the parsonage once in two weeks, and including devotional, missionary, and social features. At Bennington Second, a six weeks' school of missions is noteworthy, held on Sunday evenings. A light supper was attended by whole families, which broke up into classes of all ages after a brief devotional service, text-books being employed and dramatic impersonations. The average attendance was over 100. The same church, in conjunction with the Baptist and Methodist churches, held an open forum on Sunday

evenings on six other weeks, with expert speakers on industrial, social, and international questions, followed by discussions. Great interest was manifested, and the auditoriums filled. At Lyndonville moving pictures have been shown in the park to large audiences on Sunday evenings, joined with prayer and a brief address by the pastor. The same church has set up a bronze tablet in memory of its war heroes. At Wilder a moving picture outfit has been bought and is controlled by the federated church and its men's club. At Castleton the federated church has provided a community playground, fitted with home-made apparatus and supervised in turn by a group of mothers. The Post Mills pastor promoted an undenominational missionary institute in August. This church avails itself of the help of neighboring summer camps in social and recreational features of its work. At Chelsea the Sunday evening service has been put in charge of four lay committees, who arrange for it in turn, and a good deal of unsuspected local talent has been discovered and developed. Bristol has sold its parsonage, evidently anticipating permanence in the federation into which the church has entered.

The convocation of pastors at Middlebury may now be regarded as a stated annual event. At the third annual gathering in September, three-fourths of the active ministry of the state were present, and the effects have been apparent in the work of the year. A program of evangelism was adopted, which has been largely followed, so far as the conditions of a peculiarly trying and difficult winter have allowed. The Vermont Missionary for May tabulates a long list of additions to the churches which for the most part are attributable to this campaign, and this list will be much increased by additions at the May communion which it could not contain. Among churches sharing notably in these spring accessions are Barre, Bennington Second, Burlington First, Jericho Center, Lyndonville, Montpelier, Rutland, St. Albans, the North and South churches of St. Johnsbury, Westminster, and West Rutland. Evangelism other than of the pastoral type has been

very little in evidence. At St. Johnsbury five churches of four denominations united for five weeks in February and March under the leadership of Rev. and Mrs. M. S. Rees. Of the 61 received at Easter by the North church only about one-fourth were actively interested during the evangelistic meetings, but the spiritual atmosphere engendered was of great help in winning them. The additions to the South church had an even remoter connection with these services.

Into the Interchurch World Movement our churches have in the main heartily entered, and have shown themselves ready for any measure of co-operation which the interests of the Kingdom have seemed to demand. Our denominational branch of this movement, beginning in a campaign of education and evangelism and culminating in the financial canvass just concluded, has been taken up with much enthusiasm. A more exact statement of results is given at this meeting by those having the matter more closely in hand.

It is difficult to avoid a personal note at this Brattleboro meeting, for the first report rendered by the present secretary was given at the meeting with this church in 1891. The preceding fall the trustees of the Conference (then Convention) asked him to assume the statistical work which had been declined by one chosen at the annual meeting, and in 1891 he began a series of annual reports which has now reached the thirtieth. On looking over the Minutes of that year, it appears that but two Vermont pastors of that date are still in the same fields,—Messrs. Chapin of Saxton's River and Ball of Fair Haven. Six others then in Vermont pastorates are still at work in the state, but with other churches,—S. H. Barnum, W. R. Curtis, James Ramage, W. A. Remele, W. A. Warner, and Levi Wild. Secretary C. H. Merrill of the Domestic Missionary Society, whose term began in 1888, is also still with us. Of the clerks who reported the data from their churches, 18 have withstood the buffetings of time and of the secretary, and are still performing their duties. The period of these thirty reports has brought many changes, most of which are in the

line of progress. There were in 1891 198 churches in the state; now there are 215. Twenty new churches have been formed, and in most cases time has justified the venture, though perhaps not in all. A few church names have disappeared, and of a few others little but the name remains. The membership of the churches has increased nearly 12%, their home expenses 39%, and their invested funds 354%. On the other hand, their Sunday school membership has decreased 19%, and the enrollment in their young people's societies 31%. There has been a substantial gain in benevolences, but I do not venture to give figures, for the earlier data were not nearly so trustworthy as the more recent ones. Until the days of the apportionment and the reliance upon the missionary societies rather than the churches for the data of benevolence, the most arduous task of the secretary was the reduction of the chaos of church reports of benevolence to some semblance of reason and an approach to probable fact.

In running over the statistical pages of 1891, I am struck with the progress in feminization that has since been made. Not in the membership of the churches, for the proportion of female members has slightly decreased, from 66.65% to 66.56%; nor in the pastorate, for we still have but one woman pastor; but in the official roll. In 1891, 19 clerks were women; in 1920, 111; in 1891, seven women were superintendents of Sunday schools; in 1920, 44.

In these years there have been notable changes in outward form. The new Congregationalism means greater compactness and less independency; greater efficiency, but no less spiritual strength. Team work is more in evidence; we have acquired the benefits of superintendency; but we have still "a church without a bishop," as we have "a state without a king." The tests of orthodoxy may not be so rigid; but "the faith of our fathers" is still "a living faith."

JOHN M. COMSTOCK, Statistical Secretary

OBITUARIES

Note. These obituary notices are intended to include the names of all former pastors of our churches whose deaths have been reported during the Conference year, and to mention more briefly Congregational ministers born in the state who have never held pastorates here.

Rev. William Penn Alcott, born in Dorchester, Mass., July 11, 1838. Williams College, 1861; Andover Seminary, 1865. Pastor at North Greenwich, Conn., 1868-74, being ordained there February 18, 1868. Pastor at Brownington and Orleans, October 1874 to November 1876. Pastor, North Chelmsford, Mass., 1878-81; Boxford, Mass., 1881-3; West Newbury, Mass., 1883-6; Linebrook Church, Ipswich, Mass., 1886-1918. Home at Boxford from time of his pastorate. Died at Boxford, Mass., October 12, 1919, of old age, leaving a widow.

Rev. Walter Ellis Baker, born in Brantford, Ont., February 28, 1879. Congregational College of Canada, 1905, with courses in McGill University. Ordained May 8, 1905. Pastor at Yarmouth, N. S., 1905-7; Cowansville, Que., 1907-10. Began service at Morrisville, January 1, 1911; installed pastor June 22, 1911; dismissed April 3, 1917. Pastor First Church, Ottawa, Ont., from April, 1917, until his death from pneumonia, December 25, 1919. He leaves a widow, a son, and a daughter.

Rev. William Stephen Blaisdell, born in Richford, September 22, 1837. Ordained to Baptist ministry in 1868, and served churches of that denomination to 1876. Pastor, Randolph Center, March, 1876 to September, 1883. Resided thereafter at Tavares, Florida, where he was pastor, 1891-5. Died at Tavares June 22, 1919, leaving three daughters.

Rev. Oliver Brown, born at Kingston, R. I., March 31, 1830. Yale College, 1850; Andover Seminary, 1857. Pastor, Kingston, R. I., 1857-9, being ordained there December 21, 1857; Quincy, Mass., 1859-62; Everett, Mass., 1862-3; St. John, N. B., 1864-7; Fox Lake, Wis., 1867-70; Breckenridge, Mo., 1870-5. President Thayer College, Mo., 1875-6; professor of mathematics and natural science in Drury College, Mo., 1876-7, and of Latin and Greek, 1877-86. Pastor, Marseilles, Ill., 1886-8; Oneida, Ill., 1888-9; Magnolia and Modale, Iowa, 1889-91; Providence, Ill., 1891-2; North Yarmouth, Me., 1892-4. Pastor at Glover from October, 1894, being installed December 6, 1894, and dismissed January 17, 1897, having closed work there late in 1896. Pastor, Andover, Conn., 1896-1901. Pastor at Peru, July, 1901, to May, 1904. Pastor, Lisbon, Conn., 1904-6; Third Church, Alstead, N. H., 1906-18 (and Langdon to 1915). Died at Alstead, June 6, 1919.

Rev. Ernest Carlton Davis, born at Rochester, Mass., April 1, 1869. Revere Lay College, 1892. Acting pastor at Post Mills and West Fairlee, June, 1893 to February, 1894. Pastor, Plympton, Mass., 1894-9, being ordained there December 5, 1894; Newcastle, N. H., 1899-1903; Hope Church, Marlboro, Mass., 1903-5; Riverside Church, Lawrence, Mass., 1905-14; Forest St. Union Church, Methuen, Mass., 1914 until his death, April 17, 1920. A widow and a daughter survive.

Rev. Gabriel Havens DeBevoise, born in Brooklyn, N. Y., January 7, 1831. Studied at Williams College, 1853-6; graduated at Andover Seminary, 1864. Pastor, Walpole, N. H., 1865-8, being ordained there July 26, 1865; North Brookfield, Mass., 1868-80; Leominster, Mass., 1880-3; Supt. Cong. S. S. and Pub. Soc. for Mass., 1883-6; pastor, Second Church, Keene, N. H., 1886-96. Pastor at Westminster, January, 1899 to July, 1905, being also financial agent for Kurn Hattin Homes. Resided thereafter at Walpole, N. H., where he died September 12, 1919, of endocarditis, leaving a son.

Rev. Orson Cobb Dickerson, born at Naples, Ill., April 18,

1831. Studied at Illinois College, 1850-1. Ordained in Methodist Protestant church March 17, 1857, and filled appointments in that church, 1852-61: Pastor Congregational church, Chandlerville, Ill., 1861-5; Boonsboro, Iowa, 1865-9. Worked under Am. S. S. Union in Northern N. E., 1870-2, and preached at Dover Center from 1871, becoming pastor of the church organized there January 3, 1872, and remaining until September, 1874. Pastor, Owatonna, Minn., 1874-6; Boonsboro, Iowa, 1876-8; Garden Prairie, Iowa, 1878-9; Belle Plaine, Iowa, 1879-82; Earlville and Pawpaw, Ill., 1882-6; La Harpe, Ill., 1886-8; Godfrey and Melville, Ill., 1888-96; North Aurora, Ill., 1896-9; Earlville, Ill., 1899-1909. Resided thereafter at Mendota, Ill., until his death January 6, 1920.

Rev. Elihu Loomis, born at Huttonsville, Va., October 13, 1823. Williams College, 1847; Princeton Seminary, 1850. Began work in 1850 at North Pownal, where a church was organized May 21, 1851; ordained its pastor, October 22, 1851; left in ill health, December, 1852. Pastor, Littleton, Mass., 1854-70; Chesterfield, Ill., 1870-7; Memphis, Mo., 1877-81; Bonne Terre, Mo., 1881-2; Oakwood, Mo., 1882-5; Chesterfield, Mass., 1885-95. Resided thereafter at Centerville, Mass., where he died March 2, 1920, leaving a widow and four children.

Rev. Sanford Smith Matyn, born at Haverhill, Mass., July 23, 1839. Yale College, 1865; Yale Divinity School, 1868. Pastor, Newington, Conn., 1868-70, being ordained there April 29, 1868; New Hartford, Conn., 1870-4; Olive St. Church, Nashua, N. H., 1874-5; Terre Haute, Ind., 1876-80. Pastor at Peacham, June, 1882 to January, 1887; at Windsor, May, 1887 to June, 1894 (and Ascutneyville, 1888-92). Pastor, Derby, Conn., 1895-1900; Haydenville, Mass., 1900-4. Died of cardiac embolism at Southington, Conn., December 5, 1919, leaving a widow and five children.

Rev. Eldridge Mix, born at Atwater, Ohio, January 15, 1833. Williams College, 1854; Andover Seminary, 1860. As-

sistant pastor West Presbyterian Church, New York City, 1860-1, being ordained there December 6, 1860. Installed pastor First Church, Burlington, September 4, 1862; dismissed August 20, 1867. Pastor First Presbyterian Church, Orange, N. J., 1867-81; Central Congregational Church, Fall River, Mass., 1882-90; Wellesley, Mass., 1890-2; Supt. Worcester (Mass.) City Miss., Soc., 1895-1908. Lived mostly thereafter in Grand Rapids, Mich. Received degree of D. D. from Princeton University in 1878. Died of apoplexy at Colchester, Conn., August 13, 1919, leaving one son.

Rev. George Wesley Osgood, born in Bangor, Me., April 27, 1851. Wesleyan University, 1874; Bangor Seminary, 1877. Pastor at Tunbridge from June, 1877; ordained pastor January 17, 1878; dismissed December 31, 1880. Pastor, Littleton, N. H., 1880-4; Provincetown, Mass., 1885-7; Hyannis, Mass., 1887-90; Prospect St. Church, Newburyport, Mass., 1890-4; Chestnut St. Church, Lynn, Mass., 1894-1901. Resided thereafter in Lynn until his death May 28, 1919, leaving a widow and five children.

Rev. John Harrison Reid, born at Arlington, March 18, 1861. Studied at Lafayette College; Yale Divinity School, 1890. Ordained at Colorado Springs, Col., August 10, 1890, and pastor at Telluride, Col., 1890-2; Whitefield Church, Newburyport, Mass., 1892-8. Installed pastor at Bellows Falls, April 26, 1898; dismissed April 1, 1903. Then became editor and publisher of the **Walden Citizen**, Walden, N. Y., and later of **Lebanon Evening Report,** Lebanon, Pa. Died in Philadelphia, Pa., June 6, 1919, of shock following an operation, leaving a widow and two children.

Rev. Samuel Bartlett Sherrill, born in Lebanon, N. Y., February 3, 1832. Amherst College, 1858; Andover Seminary, 1861. Pastor Presbyterian Church, Cato, N. Y., 1862-8, being ordained there February 4, 1863; Congregational Church, Bellevue, Ohio, 1868-73. Pastor at Fair Haven, October, 1874

to May, 1876. Pastor, Moravia, N. Y., 1877-80; West Bloomfield, N. Y., 1880-91. Home at Palmyra, N. Y., 1891-7; later at Clifton Springs, N. Y., and New Haven, Conn. Died of uremia at New Haven, Conn., April 29, 1919, leaving a widow and two children.

Rev. Wesley Wood Smith, born at New Providence, N. J., September 15, 1860. Wesleyan University, 1881; Drew Seminary, 1881. Entered ministry of M. E. Church in 1883, was ordained deacon in 1885, and elder April 17, 1887. Pastor Congregational Church, Portland, Conn., 1894-1901. Pastor at Weybridge, June, 1902 to March, 1906; Colchester, May, 1909 to November, 1916; Bakersfield, November, 1916 until his death of apoplexy May 5, 1920. A widow and eleven children survive.

Rev. Oramel Franklin Thayer, born at Stockholm, N. Y., February 5, 1855. Studied medicine two years, but had no college or seminary training. Began work at Marlboro in October, 1885, ordained pastor June 15, 1886, and dismissed April 2, 1889; pastor, Plainfield and Marshfield, April, 1889 to April, 1890. Pastor, Farmington, Wash., 1890-3, and Tekoa, Wash., 1890-2 and 1893-5; Cheney, Wash., 1895-6. Pastor at Danby, January, 1897 to October, 1898; at Waterford (both churches), October, 1898 to August, 1901. Pastor, Wardner, Ida., 1902-3; Mullan, Ida., 1903-5; San Jacinto and Little Lake, Cal., 1905-6; Pilgrim Church, Bakersfield, Cal., 1906-8; Sherman, Cal., 1909 till he died, February 19, 1920, of apoplexy, leaving a widow.

Rev. Joseph Brown Davison was born in Stratton, May 5, 1837, and died in Milwaukee, Wis., November 24, 1919.

Rev. Frederick William Greene was born in Brattleboro, November 29, 1859, and died at Jaffrey, N. H., January 4, 1920.

Rev. William Watson Ranney was born in Bennington, and died at Hanover, N. H., February 3, 1920.

MINISTERIAL ASSOCIATIONS

I. ADDISON ASSOCIATION

June 15, 1808. Rev. W. F. Frazier, Registrar. Meets third Tuesday of January, March, September, and November, and second Tuesday of May

II. BENNINGTON ASSOCIATION

February 1, 1812. S. K. Perkins, Registrar. Last Tuesday of January, May, and September.

III. CALEDONIA UNION

January 10, 1811. Robert Clark, Scribe. Third Tuesday of January, March, May, September, and November.

IV. LAMOILLE ASSOCIATION

June 1, 1858. (This Association is dormant, having held no meeting since 1913.)

V. MONTPELIER UNION

January 9, 1827. (No meetings have been held since 1915.)

VI. NORTHWESTERN ASSOCIATION

June 15, 1808. F. W. Day, Scribe. Third Tuesday of January, second Tuesday of May, and fourth Tuesday of September.

VII. ORANGE AND WHITE MOUNTAIN ASSOCIATION

October 17, 1801 (Orange); June 8, 1881 (White Mountain); united, November 5, 1901. Donald Fraser, Scribe. First Tuesday of February, May, September, and November.

VIII. ORLEANS UNION

June 17, 1823. Scribe. Third Tuesday of January, May, and September.

IX. RUTLAND ASSOCIATION

1788. W. A. McIntire, Registrar. Second Tuesday of February, May, September, and December.

X. WHITE RIVER UNION

October 14, 1845. C. F. Echterbecker, Scribe. Second Tuesday of January, March, September, and November.

XI. WINDHAM-UNION ASSOCIATION

October 17, 1775. R. A. Beardslee, Scribe. First Monday of October, December, April, and June.

XII. WINOOSKI ASSOCIATION

June 9, 1847. S. G. Barnes, Scribe. First Monday of February, April, June, October, and December.

ECCLESIASTICAL RECORD

CHURCH DISBANDED

Brookfield Second, May 11, 1920.

MINISTERS ORDAINED, INSTALLED, AND RECOGNIZED

LELAND G. CHASE, o., East Fairfield, June 9, 1919.

WALTER C. CARROLL, o., East Charleston, September 22, 1919.

FRANK L. STACY, r., Eden, October 22, 1919.

CHARLES N. ST. JOHN, i., Montpelier, February 4, 1920.

MINISTERS DISMISSED

WILBUR RAND, Westmore, July 15, 1919.

C. F. HILL, CRATHERN, Bennington First, November 24, 1919.

L. MYRVEN ISAACS, Orwell, April 15, 1920.

MINISTER DIED

WESLEY W. SMITH, p., Bakersfield, May 5, 1920.

STATISTICS

VERMONT.

CONGREGATIONAL CONFERENCE. Organized August 27, 1795. OFFICERS: George L. Dunham, Brattleboro, President; Rev. Charles C. Merrill, 83 Brooks Ave., Burlington, secretary; John M. Comstock, Chelsea, statistical secretary; Frederick W. Baldwin, Barton, treasurer. SESSION OF 1920: Brattleboro, May 18.

CHURCHES			CHURCH CLERKS	PASTORS			MEMBERS				ADMITTED			REMOVED				BAPT.		FAM.
Cities or Towns	Org.	Erctd		Names	Ord.	Cld.	Ma.	Fe.	To.	Ab.	Conf.	Let.	To.	Dth.	Let.	Rev	To.	Ad.	Inf.	
1 Albany,	1818	1867	Mrs. Delia H. Honey,				6	16	22	9	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	25
2 Alburg, Springs, **R.F.D.**	1824	1854					1	4	5	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
3 " Union,	1910	1912	Herbert A. Rice,	[J. Harold G. Way, *M.E.*]		'19	14	27	41	11	2	1	3	2	2	0	4		6	31
4 Andover, **Simonsville,**	1893	1850	Mrs. Alice E. Chase,	[Elmer H. Stevens, *Bapt.*]		'19	5	9	14	9	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	30
5 Arlington, **East,**	1843	1843	Mrs. Ella A. Grout,	Mabel T. Winch,	'14	'10	22	50	72	23	9	2	11	2	5	0	7	2	7	50
6 Bakersfield,	1811	1849	Winfred O. Start,				33	68	101	41	10	2	12	1	2	11	14	3	2	51
7 Barnet, **McIndoe Falls,**	1829	1850	M. Carleton Rodgers,	Charles B. Bliss,	'03	'14	32	74	106	29	0	1	1	3	3	0	6	0	8	100
8 "	1858	1854	Miss Edith H. Wallace,	Arthur E. Gregg,	'07	'19	21	81	102	47	0	0	0	2	7	0	9	0	2	116
9 Barre,	1799	1841	Leonard R. Hutchinson,	Frank L. Goodspeed,	'87	'18	112	296	408	42	20	3	23	8	20	141	169	4	6	350
10 " **East,**	1894	1896	Mrs. Jennie A. Blanchard,	James Ramage	'85	'11	12	35	47	13	12	4	16	0	1	0	1	12	4	50
11 Barton,	1817	1874	Seymer A. Hunt,	* James J. Hutchinson,	'06	'19	44	127	171	40	4	1	5	2	3	0	5	1	2	125
12 Bennington, 1st,	1762	1805	George A. Robinson,	Vincent Ravi-Booth,	'01	'19	29	66	95	24	0	7	7	0	0	0	0	0	1	65
13 " 2d,	1836	1873	Philip T. H. Pierson,	George S. Mills, *i.*	'95	'04	147	324	471	120	13	6	19	6	6	1	13	3	11	300
14 " **North,**	1868	1873	Harrie C. White,	William R. Hamlin,	'05	'17	36	71	107	15	5	0	5	1	1	0	2	5	11	90
15 Benson,	1790	1842	Miss Chloe C. Knapp,	David H. Strong,	'85	'18	44	50	94	22	1	1	2	1	0	0	1	1	0	74
16 Berkshire, **East,**	1820	1822	Homer F. Comings,	William R. Price,	'14	'18	36	61	97	23	16	0	16	4	3	0	7			55
17 " 2d,	1905	1906	Mrs. A. C. Sinclair,[aa]	[* Richard A. Burn, *M.E.*],[bb]		'20	23	31	54	10	1	1	2	1	1	0	2			34
18 Berlin,[a]	1798	1839	Mrs. Anna T. Selina,	Frank Blomfield,	'87	'10	19	35	54	14	2	0	2	2	4	0	6	2	0	60
19 Bethel,	1817	1893	Mrs. Eliza F. Miller,				19	48	67	18	5	1	6	1	4	0	5	2	0	80
20 Bradford,	1810	1876	Arthur F. Johnson,				53	136	189	65	6	17	23	5	7	0	12	6	7	195
21 Braintree, 1st,[b]	1794	1845	Mrs. Mary O. Boyce,				5	12	17	6	0	0	0	1	1	0	2	0	0	6
22 " E. and W. Brookfield,[c]	1871	1851	Mrs. Hattie Bowman,[b]				21	81	102	28	29	5	34	1	4	0	5	14	4	78
23 Brandon,	1785	1831	Arthur H. Gipson,	Walter Thorpe,	'03	'15	86	160	246	65	2	5	7	1	6	0	7	2	0	150
24 Brattleboro, 1st, **West,**	1770	1846	Charles R. Prentiss,	* Arthur V. Woodworth,	'01	'16	81	108	189	62	10	1	11	7	3	0	10	6	3	100
25 " Center,	1816	1815	Walter A. Gilbert,	Herbert P. Woodin, *i.*	'92	'19	185	405	590	155	0	12	12	3	13	2	18	0	9	370
26 " Swedish,	1894	1894	Eber Augustson,	Anders O. Peterson,	'95	'15	16	25	41	4	1	0	1	0	1	1	2	0	1	15
27 Bridgewater,	1793	1880	George M. Graham,	* Robbins W. Barstow,[cc]	'16	'17	9	27	36	13	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	50
28 Bridport,	1790	1852	Merrill T. Wolcott,	Hervey Gulick,	'79	'17	30	68	98	23	0	0	0	2	1	0	3	0	0	71
29 Brighton, **Island Pond,**	1841	1854	Claude S. Foster,	{Robert Lawton, / Thomas Hall, *p.em.i*[dd]	'95 / '66	'13 / '90	29	67	96	24	0	0	0	2	6	0	8	1	2	70
30 Bristol, Federated,	1898	1900	Mrs. Lena M. R. Deno,	[F.M. Hagadorn, *M E.*],		'20	9	34	43	17	1	2	3	4	1	0	5	1	0	61
31 Brookfield, 1st,	1787	1846	Alvin E. Hall,	* James S. Clark,	'04	'19	33	33	66	38	0	1	1	1	0	0	1	0	0	20
32 " 2d,	1848	1847	Arthur G. Bigelow,[d]	* James S. Clark,	'04	'19	43	60	103	46	0	0	0	3	3	0	6	0	0	85
33 " East,[d]	1883	1882	James C. Holmes,	* Charles E. Walsh,[ee]	'09	'19	26	41	67	12	0	2	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	41
34 Brownington and Orleans,[e]	1809	1841	Henry B. Smith,	Rollo A. Hamilton,	'08	'16	62	162	224	46	2	5	7	2	3	0	5	0	14	215

[a] **Montpelier, R.F.D. 4.** [b] **Randolph, R.F.D. 3.** [c] **East.** [d] **Randolph Center, R.F.D. 3.** [e] **Orleans.** [aa] West Berkshire. [bb] Enosburg Falls, R.F.D. 2.
[cc] Woodstock. [dd] Old Orchard, Me. [ee] Williamstown. *Serves more than one church. See summary for list.

SUNDAY SCHOOLS				CHURCH TREASURERS	BENEVOLENT CONTRIBUTIONS ON APPORTIONMENT												LOCAL FINANCES			
Superintendents	¶Members	Young People's Societies. Mem.	§Men's Organizations		A. B. C. F. M.	Woman's Foreign Bds.	Congl. Education Soc.	Congl. Church Bldg. Society	Congl. Home Miss. Soc.	Am. Miss. Association	Congl. S. S. Extension Soc.	Ministerial Relief	Totals	‡Woman's Home Federation	Other Congregational Contributions	Undenominational Gifts	Home Expenses	Salaries	Value Church Property	Invested Funds
1	0	0	0	Mrs. Delia H. Honey,	$14	$7	$3	$5	$13	$5	$2	$1	$50	$0	$2	$	$16	$	$2,500	$200
2	0	0	0		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		*3,000	0
3 F. E. Cargill, c	52	12	0	Winfield W. Stiles,	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	740	†708	3,000	0
4 Mrs. Alice E. Chase,	30	0	0	Mrs. Hattie Graves,	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	36	†375	1,000	500
5 Mrs. Mabel D. Warner, c	52		0	Mrs. Helen S. Webb,	16	8	10	4	14	11	2	1	66	9	1	30	800	†650	*9,000	2,333
6 A. C. Wells,	60	20	0	Mrs. W. O. Start,	17	9	5	5	16	8	3	1	64	0	10	0	1,060	†900	*6,800	5,367
7 Miss Flora Winch,	80	39	z21	M. Carleton Rodgers,	47	21	9	12	41	20	4	3	157	23	5		1,251	700	*4,500	2,350
8 Chester L. Somers, Mrs. Emma C. Kendall,	125	65	z20	Mrs. Emily M. Albee,	71	33	19	19	43	40	10	10	245	0	0	0	1,350	1,200	*8,000	225
9 Charles A. Spear, c	427	40	0	Nelson B. Ballard,	236	85	52	53	180	173	25	14	818	65	85	120	10,375	2,034	*40,000	0
10 Mrs. N. E. Avery,	60		0	Mrs. George Taylor,	16	5	3	5	16	8	2	2	57	0	5	44	646	†540	1,000	0
11 Wallace H. Gilpin,	115	53	0	John F. Batchelder,	0	49	5	0	19	12	0	1	86	14	0	0	1,800	1,200	*26,000	6,000
12 Mrs. C. L. Holden, cm	73	0	0	Miss K. J. Hubbell,	95	17	24	28	19	21	28	20	252	15	200	100	3,000	1,800	*38,000	7,000
13 Irving C. Cobb, cm	289	30	20	Dr. Lucretius H. Ross,	335	234	40	63	246	143	36	23	1,120	141	10	0	4,550	2,400	*68,000	15,600
14 Clarence W. White, c	113	10	0	Mrs. C. W. White,	238	85	46	62	159	115	56	25	786	55	201	77	2,580	1,200	*19,500	0
15 Mrs. L. C. Kellogg, c	97	0	0	Dan A. Higgins,	43	20	7	10	34	16	4	8	142	18	89	50	1,050	800	*10,000	2,000
16 Homer F. Comings,	70	28	z15		43	67	15	18	23	21	10	3	200	25	3	15	1,050	840	*8,000	0
17 James Williams,	34	0	0		16	0	0	0	10	11	7	1	45	0	0	0	325	400	3,000	0
18 Mrs. W. H. Turner,	50	0	0	Mrs. Anna T. Selina,	28	0	4	6	0	9	3	2	52	0	0	0	900	700	*9,500	2,000
19 Mrs. N. L. Chase, c	95	22	0	Miss Julia B. Miller,	12	6	0	0	6	0	0	1	25	0	33	10	1,085		9,000	2,907
20 Miss A. E. Bacon, c	175	30		Dr. Walter S. Cole,	81	42	16	20	71	50	11	37	328	33	44	82	2,250	1,400	*22,000	13,800
21 Clarence A. Webster,	25	0	0	Mrs. Geo. H. Adams,	0	0	0	0	5	0	0	0	5	0	0	0	65		*2,500	0
22 Mrs. S. A. Hutchinson, c	75	31	25	Mrs. R. G. Mann,	23	5	0	5	23	11	6	2	75	0		17	700	†900	3,000	0
23 M. A. Sturtevant,	125		0	Arthur H. Gipson,	83	43	22	24	58	37	9	10	286	84	5	0	2,100	1,800	*28,500	1,100
24 William E. Chase, c	108	72	z15	William E. Chase,	188	81	50	43	167	104	33	23	689	79	116	261	1,646	1,100	*12,000	11,450
25 Walter A. Gilbert, c	267	52	x287	Robert C. Clark,	583	216	130	178	691	306	51	50	2,205	265	664	30	6,855	2,500	*58,000	23,530
26 Rev. A. O. Peterson,	34	22	0	A. H. Erikson,	3	1	0	1	5	1	0	0	11	0			949	†840	2,500	0
27 Mrs. Claude West,	34	0	z14		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0			421	400	*3,500	1,389
28 Charles A. Pratt, c	182	0	0	Merrill T. Wolcott,	16	8	5	4	19	7	2	1	62	5			1,377	800	*15,000	400
29 A. W. Bosworth, c	144	45		Gilbert Kittridge,	59	25	3	14	49	33	5	4	192	10	10	21	1,665	1,000	*10,000	1,000
30 Mrs. E. W. Gould,	30	0	0	Dr. W. E. Morgan,	12	0	0	0	3	0	0	3	18	0	5		1,090	425	5,000	2,840
31	0	0	0	Mrs. I. N. Abbott,	17	22	3	5	38	8	2	1	96	23	2		400	600	*4,800	6,000
32 C. Carl Stone, h	55	0	0	Azro G. Dutton,	21	11	5	7	22	10	3	3	82	20	2	48	804	600	*6,500	100
33 Robert E. Trask, c	69	25	0	Walter Wheatley,	32	10	4	5	0	9	2	1	63	0		10	385	350	3,000	500
34 A. O. Austin, c R. A. Dutton,	295	90		W. J. Joslyn,	115	93	32	46	137	82	21	19	545	92	335	100	2,480	1,475	*17,500	0

¶ (h Includes Home Department. c Cradle Roll. e Both Home Department and Cradle Roll. m Branch School.)
§ (x Includes both Men and Boys. z Boys only.) ‡ These amounts included in totals of Homeland Societies. † Salary includes Missionary Aid. * Church has a Parsonage.

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35	Burke, Federated, **East,**	1807	1855	Miss Mary E. Harris,	[S. G. Surtor, *M.E.*]		'20	12	33	45	18	0	1	1	4	1	0	5	0	0	45
36	" 2d,	1906	1824					1	3	4	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
37	Burlington, 1st,	1805	1842	Roy E. Tilley,	Chauncey C. Adams, *i.*	'00	'15	310	535	845	263	22	30	52	7	18	0	25	6	16	314
38	" College St.,	1860	1865	Henry F. Perkins,	Isaac Chipman Smart, *i.*	'85	'00	98	197	295	70	0	0	0	1	7	0	8	0	0	140
39	Cabot,	1801	1850	Arthur M. Hodgdon,	* Morton W. Hale,	'03	'15	42	77	119	25	4	4	8	6	3	1	10	3	6	85
40	Calais, Federated, **East,**	1905	1848	Dell B. Dwinell,	* Wilbur Rand,	'83	'20	5	9	14	7	0	0	0	0	1	6	1	0	0	6
41	" Christian,	1916	1850		* Wilbur Rand,	'83	'20	4	5	9											
42	Cambridge, Federated,	1792	1878	Miss Hattie C. Hopkins,	[Walter H. Gould, *M.E.*]		'17	4	14	18	9	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	50
43	" **Jeffersonville,**	1887	1889	George H. Gilmore,				46	92	138	53	5	1	6	2	8	0	10		3	175
44	Castleton, Federated	1784	1832	Mrs. E. N. Northrop,	Robert G. McLeod,	'05	'18	28	59	87	30	0	2	2	2	5	0	7	0		27
45	Charleston, **West, Fed.,**	1844	1858	Miss Grace E. Knight,	[William C. Johnson, *M.E.*][bb]	'91	'18	11	39	50	20	0	0	0	4	2	0	6	0	0	28
46	" **East,**	1905	1856	MissGrace M. Barney,				24	48	72	21	3	2	5	0	3	0	3	1	14	114
47	Charlotte,	1792	1845	Mrs. C. M. Byington,	Frederick N. Rutan,	'87	'19	43	87	130	47	2	0	2	2	2	2	6	2	0	100
48	Chelsea,	1789	1813	John M. Comstock,	John A. Lawrence,	'94	'10	41	95	136	32	3	1	4	1	2	0	3	2	1	120
49	Chester,	1773	1828	Charles E. Kimball,	William J. Ballou,	'06	'20	62	150	212	77	3	2	5	1	5	0	6	3	1	115
50	Clarendon,	1822	1824	Mrs. William Weeks,[e]				9	26	35	13	0	0	0	2	0	0	2	0	1	35
51	Colchester,	1804	1838	J. Murray Wright,				34	82	116	15	8	1	9	0	0	0	0	6	2	75
52	" **Winooski,**	1836	1838	Mrs. W. E. MacBride,				18	42	60	36	0	0	0	1	7	0	8	0	0	30
53	Corinth,	1820	1820	Mrs. Anna L. Hodge,				13	26	39	13	0	2	2	2	8	8	18	0	0	50
54	" **East,**	1918	1840	Mrs. A. C. Jackman,	* Elisha P. Cutler,	'16	'19	18	46	64	7	0	4	4	2	0	0	2	0	0	65
55	Cornwall,[a]	1785	1803	Ira L. Hamblin,	Christopher R. Hamlin,	'99	'18	44	77	121	49	0	4	4	2	0	0	2	0	0	68
56	Coventry,	1810	1830	Mrs. Ella L. Bryant,	[C. Eugene Southard, *Lic.*]		'19	46	64	110	53	11	3	14	3	5	0	8	11	0	76
57	Craftsbury, **North,**	1797	1820	Edward A. Dutton,[d]	Carl J. Peterson,	'93	'17	40	71	111	33	13	0	13	0	2	0	2	6	4	40
58	Danby,	1869	1838	Orson L. Greene,	* William A. McIntire, *i.*	'07	'07	13	36	49	6	0	0	0	2	4	0	6	0	4	45
59	Danville,	1792	1896	Mrs. L. E. Worthen,	Chauncey A. Adams,	'11	'13	56	133	189	47	12	5	17	1	5	0	6	9	8	134
60	Derby, Federated,	1807	1849	Mrs. Clara E. Adams,	Frank E. Davison,	'74	'19	31	36	67	29	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	40
61	Dorset,	1784	1910	Théophile E. Comba,	[W. LeRoy Haven, *Pres.*]		'13	'17	51	102	153	28	7	7	14	6	2	2	10	6	7	203
62	" **East,**	1867	1838	Miss Bertha E. Ames,	* William A. McIntire,[cc]	'07	'08	14	31	45	6	4	3	7	0	0	0	0	3	6	25
63	Dover, **West,**	1868	1858					1	8	9	6	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	40
64	Dummerston,	1779	1842	Adin F. Miller,[e]				13	36	49	21	2	3	5	0	4	3	7			40
65	Duxbury, **Moretown,**	1835	1855	Miss Mary S. Butler,	[Josiah Hall, *M.E.*]		'20	14	27	41	9	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	1	25
66	Eden,	1889	1839	Mrs. Metta C. Blake,	* Frank L. Stacy, *r.*[dd]	'15	'19	2	11	13	8	0	0	0	3	1	1	5	0	0	120
67	Enosburg,[b]	1811	1820	Mrs. George H. Fairbanks,	[* Richard A. Burn, *M E.*]		'20	34	52	86	30	2	0	2	2	6	8	16	2	2	35
68	Essex,	1797	1840	Mrs. Jane E. N. Greene,				10	20	30	16	0	2	2	1	3	5	9	0	0	15
69	" **Junction,**	1869	1867	Daniel Webster,	William Millar,	'07	'18	68	138	206	64	11	19	30	1	3	0	4	4	3	98
70	Fairfield,	1800	1839	Mrs. Harry Doane,	* Arthur B. Ross,	'99	'17	7	11	18	7	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	15
71	" **East,**	1885	1866	Mrs. Inez Wells,	* Arthur B. Ross,	'99	'17	13	29	42	5	0	0	0	0	3	0	3	0	0	35
72	Fairhaven, 1st,	1803	1892	Rev. Robert H. Ball,	Robert H. Ball,	'89	'89	56	124	180	30	15	3	18	4	0	0	4	6	4	80
73	" *Welsh,*	1853	1857	Mrs. Joseph Jones,	John David Owen, *i.*	'15	'15	20	51	71	10	1	2	3	1	3	11	15	0	4	25
74	Fairlee, Federated,	1833	1914	Olin N. Renfrew,[aa]	[* Clinton W. Carvell, *Lic.*]		'18	11	23	34	5	2	3	5	0	1	1	2	1	0	35

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Superintendents	¶ Mem.	Mem.	Mens Org.	TREASURERS	A.B.C. F.M.	W. F. Bds	C. E. S.	C.C.B. S.	C.H.M. S.	A. M. A.	C.S.S. E.S.	Min. Relief	Totals	‡W. H.Fed.	Contbs	Gifts	Home Exp.	Salaries	Value Ch. Property	Invest Funds
35 Myron H. Gilson,	55	0	0	Miss Mary E. Harris,	$27	$14	$6	$8	$27	$13	$3	$2	$100	$0	$10	$	$840	$550	$6,000	$11.121
36	0	0	0		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		2,000	0
37 William H. Wood, e	404	179	120	Benjamin E. Bristol,	760	362	165	219	739	371	82	55	2,753	396	198	676	9,012	3,000	*75,000	1,815
38 Walter H. Crockett,	112	20	x106	Frederick S. Pease,	1,141	316	121	160	544	271	58	39	2,650	299	140	52	5,481	2,500	*60,000	6,327
39 Rev. M. W. Hale, e	100	0	0	Mrs. L. L. Blodgett,	45	33	14	18	45	30	7	5	197	0	5	30	1,377	1,000	*12,000	4,667
40 Dell B. Dwinell,	35	0	0		0	0	0	0	5	0	0	0	5	0		20			1,500	500
41					0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0				1,000	0
42 J. K. Putnam,	22	0	0	S. M. Safford,	6	0	1	1	16	5	1	12	42	12	5	0	813	500	4,000	500
43 Ira M. Powell, e	70	33	0	George H. Gilmore,	13	36	0	12	36	7	4	2	110	43	85	300	1,104	900	*9,000	0
44 A. W. Kingsland, h	193	35	0	Dr. Edward R. Clark,	62	43	5	11	143	5	16	5	290	48	12	60	1,500	600	11,500	5,000
45 G. M. Calkins, e	71	30	0	Miss Grace E. Knight,	0	0	5	7	22	20	3	3	60	50	3	0	600	†700	*4,000	4,096
46 Mrs. L. G. Buck, e	81	40	0	Willie G. Stoddard,	13	17	4	4	14	8	1	2	63	6		20	830	†875	*3,700	0
47 John S. Williams, e	112	15	10	Lyman B. McNeil,	73	40	11	28	42	38	5	3	240	0	39	32	2,213	1,500	*14,000	6,259
48 John M. Comstock, h	121	54	0	Willard P. Townsend,	92	61	21	26	91	74	11	7	383	113	122	9	2,179	1,000	*10,000	5,850
49 George F. Marsh, em	126	64	z14	Atwood Sargeant,	165	46	17	16	75	97	7	9	432	102	110	10	1,551	1,200	11,000	9,000
50 Amherst B. Weeks,	27	0	0	E. M. Eddy,	18	0	5	0	0	12	0	0	35	0			385		*6,000	1,350
51 Mrs. E. S. Wright,	120	0	0	Mrs. E. S. Wright,	24	12	5	6	33	12	5	2	99	6	10		800	†700	*4,000	1,500
52	0	0	0	F. E. Bigwood,	13	7	0	0	14	7	2	1	44	0	0	0	0		*15,000	5,000
53	0	0	0	Mrs. E. G. Sevene,	42	4	8	2	10	6	2	0	74	0		5	251		*2,600	3,500
54 Leo W Hutchinson,	80	0	z12		0	30	2	11	54	38	8	3	146	51	7		2,573	1,500	*7,800	500
55 James S. Wing, h	115	30	0	Ralph R. Robbins,	96	50	16	13	95	57	16	7	350	84	170	98	1,293	1,000	*10,000	0
56 A. M Wright, e	149	39	x31	Mrs. Ella L. Bryant,	41	29	15	12	46	24	5	3	175	29	67	15	1,225	1,000	*6,300	4,900
57 W. L. Dustan, e	81	50	x33	Edward A. Dutton,	65	57	14	19	57	36	7	15	270	22	55	50	1,448	1,000	*8,500	3,300
58 L. J. Rabner, e	63	22	0	Mrs. K. T. Griffith,	27	25	9	12	30	20	5	5	133	0	0	6	1,378	1,200	*11,500	22,000
59 John W. Gillis, e	157	76	0	C. H. Kimball,	100	61	20	32	75	40	15	8	351	37	202	108	2,151	1,500	*23,000	4,600
60 Willey T. Kilborn,	38	0	0	Willey T. Kilborn,	12	6	2	4	19	16	1	1	61	17	5		900	800	*7,000	8,000
61 Mrs. W. LeR. Haven, e	108	17	0	William J. Holley,	196	91	21	14	84	37	38	13	494	41	90	95	2,226	1,500	*24,000	0
62 Miss Lucy D. Viall, e	47	25	0	Miss G. T. Brophy,	23	6	5	5	1	19	0	3	62	18	0	38	335	260	6,500	500
63	0	0	0	John A. Davis,	0	0	1	1	1	1	1	1	6	0					*2,600	965
64 A. W. Laughton, h	53			Miss A. G. Laughton,	6	2	1	2	7	3	8	0	29	1	5		930		*6,000	5,923
65 Mrs. W. D. Turner, e	34	0	0	Arthur E. Butler,	14	7	3	5	14	7	2	1	53	0			305	250	1,000	2,000
66	0	0	0		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0				†1,100	*4,000	0
67 Avery W. Gross,	60	25	0	W. J. Chaffee,	62	27	15	22	57	39	13	9	244	40	88	50	850	700	*9,500	0
68	0	0	0		10	10	2	3	13	5	1	1	45	17	135	7	140		4,000	900
69 B. E Goodenough, e	156	143	0		10	81	14	20	52	50	7	5	239	33	6	60	3,791	1,500	*30,000	0
70	0	0	0	Mrs. Harry Soule,	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	2	0			350	300	1,700	3,950
71 J. W. Kittell,	22	0	0	Van Ness E. Chase,	5	0	0	0	17	0	0	0	22	0	0	0	600	†800	*4,100	2,000
72 R. L. Reed, e	108	22	0		46	27	3	10	25	40	5	0	156	27	110	75	1,693	1,200	*16,000	1,500
73 Rev. John D. Owen,	30	0	0	Benjamin Lewis,	10	2	1	7	15	2	1	1	39	0			700	†700	*4,000	0
74 Clinton W. Carvell,	30	50	z20	Gustavus L. Winship,	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0			1,000	300	*12,000	1,733

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75	Ferrisburg,	1824	1868	Ernest DeVine,				8	23	31	11	2	0	2	0	1	0	1	0	0	45
76	Franklin,	1817	1827	Charles W. Gates,	Arthur Brotherston,	'15	'20	23	43	66	24	0	0	0	0	8	0	8	0	2	40
77	Georgia,[a]	1793	1831	Walter C. Ballard,				16	19	35	17	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	12
78	Glover, **West,**	1817	1832	Mrs. Bertha L. Wright,	* James J. Hutchinson,[dd]	'06	'19	40	47	87	28	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	38
79	Grafton, Federated,	1785	1833	Miss Amy M. Davis,	[George E. Congdon, *Bapt.*]		'20	18	39	57	19	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	40
80	Granby and Victory,[b]	1825	1845	Mrs. J. L. Wells,				6	8	14	6	0	0	0	1	0	6	7	0	0	30
81	Greensboro,	1804	1827	Mrs. L. A. Perrin,	Edwin R. Gordon,	'10	'19	41	63	104	21	0	1	1	3	6	0	9	0	0	60
82	Guildhall,	1799	1844	Mrs. I. E. Knight,[e]				15	14	29	11	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	15
83	Guilford,[e]	1899	1856	Mrs. Emma S. Miller,	* Arthur V. Woodworth,[ee]	'01	'18	22	28	50	15	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	35
84	Hardwick, **East,**	1803	1850	Carroll S. Montgomery,	John Irons,	'98	'19	60	104	164	47	9	1	10	4	2	0	6	6	4	79
85	"	1894	1895	Mrs. Harry Titus,	Charles Wattie,	'96	'18	64	119	183	90	16	9	25	2	6	0	8	5	4	103
86	Hartford, 2d,	1786	1828	Miss Fanny L. Wright,				51	95	146	37	3	4	7	1	3	0	4	0	3	100
87	" **West,**	1830	1832	Erwin C. Newton,				19	40	59	16	0	1	1	1	0	1	2	0	0	60
88	" **Quechee,**	1831	1873	H. F. Porter Lillie,	Charles C. Claris,	'02	'18	31	60	91	38	7	5	12	4	3	0	7	3	2	135
89	" **Wilder, Fed.,**	1888	1889	Joseph M. Quimby,	Leland G. Chase,	'19	'20	16	35	51	10	0	2	2	2	0	0	2	0	0	45
90	Hartland,	1779	1834	Jay G. Underwood,	Edward C. Fellowes,	'91	'19	19	44	63	17	0	8	8	3	1	1	5	0	0	75
91	Highgate, **Center,**	1811	1847	Miss Sarah R. Place,	* F. Wilson Day, **Swanton,**	'03	'16	15	24	39	15	0	0	0	2	6	0	8	0	4	28
92	Hinesburg, Federated,	1789	1840	Mrs. E. O. Martin,[aa]	[Charles H. Bennett, *M.E.*]	'06	'19	10	42	52	29	0	2	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	43
93	Holland, **Derby, R.F.D. 1,**	1842	1854	Oliver L. Kidder,	* E. Leroy Rice,[ee]	'10	'16	4	9	13	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	25
94	Hubbardton,	1784	1838	Mrs. Carrie E. St. John,[bb]	[* Elmer I. Nye, *Bapt.*][aaa]	'96	'18	21	44	65	37	0	0	0	2	2	0	4	0	0	40
95	Hyde Park, **North,**	1858	1860	Mrs. Cordelia M. Smith,				13	24	37	20	0	0	0	3	3	0	6	0	0	25
96	" 2d,	1863	1911	Mrs. Emma K. Wiswell,	Arthur Mercer,	'01	'18	12	52	64	17	5	6	11	0	3	0	3	5	4	100
97	Irasburg,	1818	1839	Mrs. Oscar N. Washer,				17	26	43	18	0	0	0	0	2	0	2	0	0	45
98	Jamaica, Federated,	1791	1808	Mrs. Lucy R. Kellogg,	[L. Huntley Sprague, *Bapt*]	'92	'18	13	44	57	25	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	50
99	Jericho, 1st, **Center,**	1791	1836	Frank M. Haskins,	Francis J. Malzard,	'17	'19	47	68	115	31	0	3	3	2	7	4	13	0	0	100
100	" 2d,	1826	1826	Albert P. Byington,	* William Cashmore,	'98	'12	21	38	59	7	11	1	12	2	0	19	21	10	2	50
101	Johnson,	1817	1851	Mrs. James Holmes,	Frank W. Hazen,	'97	'12	49	105	154	40	10	3	13	0	0	0	0	6	7	150
102	Kirby, **Lyndonville,**	1877	1885	J. W. Nickerson,	* Herbert J. Hinman,	'97	'19	4	5	9	1	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	26
103	Leicester,[d]	1900	1831	Miss Nettie W. Johnson,				9	7	16	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
104	Londonderry,	1868	1846	Mrs M. C. Farnum,	Frederick C. Taylor,	'91	'18	22	29	51	13	4	0	4	1	2	0	3	5	2	76
105	Lowell,	1816	1843	Mrs. Mary L. Stephenson,	* Frank L. Stacy,[bbb]	'15	'19	14	36	50	23	0	0	0	4	2	0	6	0	0	60
106	Ludlow,	1806	1892	Mrs. John C. Gleason,				72	129	201	77	0	0	0	1	5	2	8	0	0	140
107	Lunenburg, Federated,	1802	1850	Miss Evalyn L Davison,	[Glenn W Douglass, *M.E.*]		'18	24	38	62	6	0	2	2	5	3	2	10	0	4	45
108	Lyndon,	1817	1829	Mrs. Mabel R. Morse,	Robert Clark,	'07	'14	12	53	65	12	0	0	0	0	0	7	7	0	0	55
109	" **Lyndonville,**	1870	1872	W. C Conner,	* Herbert J. Hinman,	'97	'19	64	106	170	35	6	9	15	0	9	0	9	1	2	219
110	Manchester,	1784	1871	Walter R. Hard,	Sidney K. Perkins, *i.*	'80	'10	63	113	176	55	4	4	8	2	2	0	4	1	2	112
111	Marlboro,	1776	1818	Mrs. Ida D. Adams,[ee]	Henry H. Shaw,	'95	'94	8	17	25	6	0	1	1	0	0	.12	12	0	0	30
112	Marshfield,	1800	1906	Rev. George A. Furness,	George A. Furness,	'98	'17	9	33	42	7	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	100
113	Middlebury,	1790	1805	Julius O. Seeley,	Henry C. Newell,	'08	'16	141	259	400	150	12	3	15	5	11	0	16	5	8	200
114	Middletown Springs, Fed.,	1780	1796	Quincy A. Norton,	[Herbert L. Kelton, *M.E.*]	'98	'18	33	88	121	30	1	4	5	3	0	1	4	1	3	119

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Superintendents	¶ Mem.	Mem.	Mens Org.	TREASURERS	A.B.C. F.M.	W. F. Bds	C. E. S.	C.C.B. S.	C.H.M. S.	A. M. A.	C.S.S. E.S.	Min. Relief	Totals	‡W. H.Fed.			Home Exp.	Salaries	Value Ch. Property	Invest Funds
75	0	0	0	Miss Mary Collins,	$20	$10	$12	$12	$23	$9	$7	$2	$95	$23	$0	$0	$356	$	*$11,000	$4,100
76 C. E. Noyes,	35	16	0	Paul H. Gates,	28	28	5	10	26	20	3	4	124	25	1		433		*7,500	2,300
77	0	0	0	Walter C. Ballard,	0	10	0	0	10	0	0	0	20	10	0	0	0		*2,000	650
78 Reuben C. Stevens, e	105	0	0	Lyman Barber,	40	30	5	18	52	30	14	2	191	15	45		800	520	*5,500	1,500
79 J. Henry Stowell, e	91	26	0	Mrs. A. B. Culver,	10	0	0	0	7	0	0	0	17	0	5	0	170		*7,000	4,750
80 Mrs. Edna McLean, e	59	17	0	Mrs. C. W. Matthews,	5	1	0	1	15	15	0	0	37	23			84		*1,000	26
81 P. N. Allen, h	75	58	0	C. H. Miller,	54	28	12	16	54	26	6	4	200	30	0	11	1,238	1,200	*9,000	2,900
82	0	0	0		0	0	0	0	10	0	0	0	10	0					*3,500	1,300
83 Guy B. Fairbank,	35	22	0	Fred Coombs,	9	4	2	4	9	4	3	3	38	0			383	†412	*1,725	100
84 Mrs. F. Nicholson, h	140	26	0	F. S. Montgomery,	37	49	14	12	37	23	11	3	186	43	65	68	1,983	1,200	*9,100	4,025
85 Mrs Charles Wattie, e	170	0	20	Robert Fordyce,	18	26	4	5	24	9	2	1	89	13	3	15	1,150	1,000	7,500	900
86 Mrs. Mira Davis, e	99	0	x64	Miss Helen B. Gillette,	51	26	11	15	25	23	5	5	161	0			3,186	1,500	*21,000	0
87 Walter T. Savage, h	58	0	0	Mrs. L. Ida Dimick,	26	13	4	5	23	12	4	1	88	9	0	0	900	600	*9,500	1,500
88 e	48	0	z20	Robert W. Seaver,	10	25	3	8	20	5	5	0	76	15			1,486	1,300	*15,000	3,000
89 C. P. Cooper,	50	17	0	David A. Palmer,	24	13	5	7	24	3	3	2	81	0	0	0	700	600	*9,500	0
90 John P. Webster, e	123	0	z12		32	17	7	10	58	16	4	2	146	0			1,101	†1,200	*6,000	0
91 Miss Lottie Munsell, h	38	0	0	Mrs. N. M. Morey,	14	5	4	8	10	14	4	1	60	0	0	28	400	250	7,000	465
92 F. S. Coleman, e	120	25	0	Henry M. Page,	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	18	5		458	500	*6,000	900
93 Chester Holmes,	25	0	0	Elvyn A. Ferrin,	2	0	0	0	41	0	0	1	44	0			400	300	3,000	0
94 Harold C. Roach,	25	0	0	Mrs. C. E. St. John,	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	11	6		575	520	*7,500	5,500
95 Mrs. Charles Kneeland,	30	0	0		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	125		2,500	0
96 Luther H. Lewis,	80	20	0	Miss M. Hulburd,	22	0	0	0	3	8	0	0	33	3	0	0	1,525	1,000	*15,000	0
97 William J. Heath, e	34	32	15	Mrs. Oscar N. Washer,	20	14	6	6	26	12	2	2	88	13					*6,800	300
98 Mrs. Ruth Robinson, e	60	12	0	Mrs. L. R. Kellogg,	30	18	6	10	5	18	3	0	90	20	10	24	680	570	*3,500	1,500
99 Rev. F. J. Malzard,	97	25	0	C. C. Bicknell,	67	60	17	23	76	18	8	6	275	57	11	0	1,266	†1,200	*17,000	3,350
100 Fred A. Perceival,	49	0	0	Charles Vasterling,	41	4	7	8	15	10	9	5	99	12	60		662	350	5,000	7,550
101 W. F. Sinclair, e	207	40	0	Mrs. James Holmes,	93	41	14	20	65	39	7	10	289	26	35	5	1,729	1,232	*8,000	1,900
102 Willie P. Russell,	12	0	0	Willie P. Russell,	0	0	2	1	2	1	1	1	8	0	23	0	145	200	700	0
103	0	0	0		0	0	0	0	2	2	0	0	4	3		8	0		0	0
104 Mrs. F. C. Taylor,	50	29	0	Herbert N. Williams,	14	7	3	4	14	7	2	1	52	5			625	†1,000	*6,000	0
105	0	0	0	Mrs M. M. Patterson,	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	116	†400	4,000	0
106 Charles J. Hubbard, h	113	46	z12	George C. Otis,	82	35	27	18	64	40	13	5	284	29	16	51	1,215	850	*19,500	6,075
107 e	44	0	0	Mrs. Erwin Balch,	21	7	0	0	21	0	2	2	53	0	12		658	500	*10,000	1,500
108 William T. Morse, e	75	0	0	John B. Chase,	25	13	11	6	19	15	2	1	92	13	11	10	1,100	†1,000	*5,000	3,500
109 John L. Norris, e	188	31	z27	Charles D. Stevens,	110	62	24	30	141	46	16	13	442	85	108	100	3,190	2,000	*13,000	974
110 h	72	0	0	E. H. Hemenway,	129	94	31	63	141	73	32	16	579	73	23	70	2,100	1,200	*30,000	9,907
111 Edwin P. Adams,	30	0	0	Edwin P. Adams,	12	6	3	4	12	06	1	1	45	0	0	0	600	†650	*5,500	1,000
112 Miss A. L. Burnham, e	61		0	Miss A. L. Burnham,	13	7	2	2	19	5	1	1	50	7	20	10	589	†700	*3,500	1,000
113 A. W. Eddy,	147	20	0	Ernest C. Bryant,	130	189	37	58	667	84	23	14	1,202	117	11		3,215	1,700	*34,000	7,262
114 Dana S. Carpenter,	90	25	0	Mrs. Walton E. Frost,	41	36	12	12	49	25	8	3	186	0	25	64	950	800	*5,000	1,000

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115 Milton, Federated,	1804	1866	Mrs. L. C. Holcombe,	[Frank E. Talbee, *M.E.*]	'97	'19	36	79	115	32	4	0	4	1	2	0	3	2	0	82
116 Montgomery, **Center,**	1817	1837	Mrs. Charles A. Gardyne,				5	28	33	15	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	30
117 Montpelier,	1808	1867	Irving Henson,	Charles N. St. John, *i.*	'12	'19	140	304	444	70	6	11	17	2	10	0	12	7	0	400
118 Morgan,	1823	1844	Leon E. Lewis,				7	12	19	3	5	0	5	0	0	0	0	5	1	17
119 Morristown, **Morrisville,**	1807	1897	Miss Anna L. Mower,	George E. Goodliffe,	'15	'19	62	149	211	70	18	9	27	4	6	0	10	15	8	140
120 Newbury,	1764	1856	Mrs. Charles R. Taggart,	Henry S. Ives,	'86	'18	38	118	156	50	0	9	9	4	4	1	9	0	4	120
121 " **Wells River,**	1842	1839	S. E. Clark,	Donald Fraser,	'93	'10	68	131	199	50	13	3	16	3	5	0	8	10	6	145
122 " **West,**	1867	1833	Mrs. Mima E. Barnett,[b]	William J. McNeill,	'05	'19	16	25	41	20	0	0	0	0	2	0	2	0	0	35
123 Newfane,	1774	1839	Mrs. Abbie E. Morse,	Frank B. Hyde,	'96	'20	29	57	86	22	0	0	0	2	0	0	2	0	2	80
124 New Haven,	1797	1890	Miss Marianne F. Landon,	E. Vernon Young,	'14	'17	76	129	205	70	0	3	3	4	2	0	6	0	2	120
125 Newport,	1831	1889	Robert H. Clement,	Leland A. Edwards, *i.*	'02	'11	98	156	254	51	25	8	33	5	1	0	6	5	15	203
126 Northfield,	1822	1834	Mrs. Charles D. Edgerton,	James B. Sargent, *i.*	'97	'05	63	153	216	65	0	2	2	3	3	0	6	0	0	140
127 Norwich,	1819	1817	Miss Edastina H. Bush,	Herbert Dixon,	'16	'17	59	114	173	40	4	3	7	7	2	0	9	5	4	160
128 Orange,	1876	1848	Miss Edna L. Beard,				16	20	36	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	50
129 Orwell,	1789	1843	Otis S. Wisell,				68	138	206	55	1	0	1	5	1	0	6	0	3	160
130 Pawlet,	1781	1841	Miss Nellie M. Bushee,				21	55	76	17	0	0	0	4	1	0	5	0	0	40
131 " *Welsh*, **West,**	1881	1846	Robert C. Morris,				23	24	47	17	0	0	0	1	5	0	6	0	0	10
132 Peacham,	1794	1806	Mrs. R. B. Abbott,[c]	Wilmond A. Warner,	'87	'19	87	146	233	53	17	1	18	5	9	0	14	12	8	105
133 Peru,	1807	1846	Eugene C. Simonds,	Clarence C. Lyon,	'90	'18	16	32	48	0	3	2	5	0	1	0	1	2	0	44
134 Pittsfield,	1803	1820	Oscar J Ellis,				8	19	27	5	1	0	1	0	1	0	1	1	0	35
135 Pittsford,	1784	1837	Miss Eleanor L. Manley,	* Edward P. Treat, *i.*	'00	'12	70	143	213	64	18	2	20	3	4	0	7	11	6	117
136 " **Florence,**	1915	1908	Abel C. Brown,	* Edward P. Treat,	'00	'13	8	19	27	11	0	1	1	1	6	0	7	0	1	30
137 Plainfield,	1799	1819	Mrs. Emma M. Bartlett,				10	33	43	11	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	
138 Plymouth, **Tyson,**	1804	1895	Mrs. Elizabeth M. Merrill,				11	26	37	17	1	0	1	0	0	3	3	0	5	20
139 Pomfret, **North,**	1783	1844	Miss Persis D. Hewitt,	George E. Ladd,[d]	'97	'13	21	54	75	25	2	0	2	2	0	0	2	2	2	60
140 Pownal, **North,**	1851	1911	Mrs. Alfred N. Smith,	[* Reuben S. O'Dell, *Bapt.*][e]	'01	'19	11	23	34	3	0	0	0	0	3	0	3	0	0	29
141 Proctor, *Swedish,*	1888	1889	Carl Linder,	*A. J. Freedlund,	'99	'20	19	24	43	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	3	0	3	33
142 Putney, Federated,	1776	1841	Mrs. Annie B. H. Harris,	[John W. Crippen, *Bapt.*]	'09	'19	20	48	68	25	0	0	0	0	1	13	14	0	0	60
143 Randolph, 1st, **Center,**	1786	1837	Miss Grace L. Conant,	Herbert A. Barker,	'03	'19	45	61	106	32	0	0	0	1	2	0	3	0	3	40
144 " Bethany,	1906	1832	Edgar T. Salisbury,	Fraser Metzger, *i.*	'95	'06	122	277	399	107	41	12	53	5	9	0	14	34	2	209
145 Richmond,	1801	1903	Walter C. Fuller,				48	106	154	52	0	0	0	1	1	0	2	0	7	132
146 Ripton,	1828	1866	Hiram I. Spoor, **Breadloaf,**				12	9	21	14	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	12
147 Rochester,	1801	1812	Mrs. Arabelle D. Hubbard,	[Edward E. Robbins, *M.E.*]	'98	'20	16	65	81	20	4	0	4	5	3	0	8	3	0	90
148 Rockingham,[a]	1825	1837	Franklin C. Jones,	George F. Chapin,	'66	'83	97	122	219	44	9	5	14	1	2	0	3	7	7	100
149 " **Bellows Falls,**	1850	1851	Fred C. Hildreth,	John C. Prince,	'11	'17	83	180	263	22	13	6	19	5	18	22	45	8	6	185
150 " **Cambridgeport,**	1868	1836	Mrs. Flora T. Walker,				5	11	16	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	35
151 Roxbury,	1838	1871	Mrs. Milford Sowles,				12	28	40	8	2	0	2	0	1	0	1	2	0	100
152 Royalton,	1777	1839	Mrs. Emma G. Culver,	* John H. Moseley,	'09	'19	21	38	59	16	0	0	0	4	0	4	8	0	3	75
153 " **South,**	1868	1869	Miss Nellie J. Adams,	* John H. Moseley,	'09	'17	26	62	88	30	8	0	8	1	0	0	1	10	0	65
154 Rupert,	1786	1860	Edward F. Haye,	J. Duke King,	'02	'10	20	36	56	16	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	30

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115	e	55	15	0	Mrs. K. A. Jackson,	$31	$21	$10	$8	$42	$19	$3	$5	$139	$25	$75	$	$	$	*$10,500	$7,650
116		0	0	0		24	13	6	7	23	11	3	2	89	0	0	0	40		2,500	1,000
117 Theodore P. Barber,	e	388	75	z18	Frank K. Griggs,	85	133	29	10	167	69	5	16	514	143	8	218	9,803	2,100	*118,000	7,100
118 C. E. Wilcox,		30	12	0	Leon E. Lewis,	6	7	1	2	6	3	1	1	27	0	0	0	165	†155	1,200	500
119 Carlton D. Howe,	e	215	30	0	Mrs. D. W. Donaldson,	58	66	7	21	64	36	4	9	265	23		237	2,326	1,500	13,500	4,950
120 James B. Hale,		94	30	0	James B. Hale,	0	75	32	50	48	89	5	15	314	107	25	10	2,095	1,440	*15,000	6,600
121 Leonard D. Smith,		125	40	0	S. E. Clark,	95	30	24	29	95	85	11	28	397	26	20	42	2,470	1,500	*15,000	700
122 Mrs. M. L. Carpenter,	e	76	19	0	Mrs. J. H. Howland,	12	6	5	4	13	6	1	1	48	6	5	8	1,526	†1,000	*4,500	2,200
123 Charles L. Hescock,	e	123	40	8	Virgil W. Ranney,	33	17	8	8	38	30	5	2	141	9	15	6	913	700	*7,000	4,200
124 Frank L. Barrows,	e	182	60	z10	William H. Partch,	44	22	8	11	52	18	17	4	176	29	10	22	1,430	1,000	*12,500	3,000
125 H. F. Johnson,	e	164	0	x52	Carroll A. Davis,	148	12	10	47	151	61	10	0	439	80	117	89	4,501	2,000	*58,000	10,200
126 George Walker,	h	130	35	0	Henry E. Smith,	0	26	0	5	15	7	7	0	60	38	50	0	1,600	1,300	*14,000	7,000
127 Mrs. Susan H. Ladd,	e	130	42	15	Charles C. Judd,	52	33	13	14	57	38	7	4	218	28	7	41	1,340	1,000	*12,375	5,832
128		0	0	0	Theron A. Lord,	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	82		*3,000	0
129 W. B. Needham,	e	188	0	x44	Davis L. Wells,	164	162	54	52	176	121	29	30	788	64	700	275	1,608	1,200	*17,500	13,909
130		0	0	0	Mrs. R. A. Clark,	16	8	5	4	14	8	2	1	58	0					*8,000	5,000
131 John P. Owens,		25	0	0	John P. Owens,	0	0	0	0	10	0	0	0	10	0			274		1,500	0
132 C. Wesley Thresher,		153	30	0	Moses W. Martin,	127	56	31	45	162	57	18	9	505	60	30		1,653	1,200	*8,200	3,723
133 Mrs. W. D. Palin,		40	35	0	L. J. Whitney,	0	19	0	0	0	10	25	0	54	10	11	20	800	†800	*4,000	0
134 Oscar J. Ellis,	e	58	20	0	Mrs. Cora B. Ellis,	3	3	2	0	6	3	0	0	17	0	5	20	225		*2,500	3,000
135 Mrs E. W. Eayres,	e	123	25	0	J. H Wheaton,	164	120	55	60	199	91	30	21	740	80	75	135	1,855	1,500	*15,000	11,100
136 J. A. Cadwell,	e	44	0	0	Abel C. Brown,	3	6	1	1	3	5	4	9	32	3	12	0	458	360	2,500	0
137		0	0	0		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		*5,000	0
138	e	39	0	0	Mrs. Ernest Briggs,	6	3	0	2	6	3	0	0	20	0			157	†300	1,600	0
139 Elton W. Clifford,	e	82	35	0	Samuel H. Warren,	22	11	5	6	22	10	2	2	80	0	40	28			*7,600	750
140 M. Brownell Bates,		48	0	0	Mrs. Harriet Patrell,	14	4	2	2	12	8	1	1	44	9	12	0	702	600	*12,000	0
141 E. Fredin,		66	16	0	Severus Westin,	1	0	1	2	5	0	0	2	11	0	123	22	782	540	3,500	0
142 Mrs A. B. H. Harris,	e	43	10	0	Mrs. A. B. H. Harris,	20	11	5	6	40	10	2	3	97	0	9	5	400	1,200	*4,600	3,531
143 Mrs. Wm. F. Cooley,	e	70	38	0	Harry H. Cooley,	65	25	14	14	27	20	18	3	186	58	0	0	1,082	†1,200	*7,000	1,250
144 Charles C. Morse,	e	277	42	z38	E. W. Tewksbury,	101	25	38	24	123	80	9	11	411	58	75	288	4,276	1,800	*63,500	1,800
145 Mrs. Anna Gillett,	e	135		0	M. S. Whitcomb,	85	35	17	18	68	37	9	5	274	11	11		1,307	1,000	*16,000	4,100
146		0	0	0		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	40		*1,300	0
147 Rev. E. E. Robbins,		36	0	0	Mrs. O. J. Morrow,	45	40	12	16	54	26	6	4	203	22	0		716	1,200	*7,000	3,943
148 Mrs. Ellen C. Stearns,	e	171	53	0	Mrs. Fay S. Fuller,	193	46	20	26	115	67	10	7	484	35	225	25	1,036	800	*18,500	4,000
149 Dana J. Lowd,	e	250	40	x75	Walton H. Farr,	306	199	57	69	226	146	25	22	1,050	65	466	200	3,922	1,600	*31,000	9,200
150 George E. Walker,		15	0	0		1	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	2	0	2				1,500	0
151 Fred Cram,		25	15	0	Mrs. W. A. Averill,	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	622		2,000	600
152 Garner P. Dewey,	h	47	14	0		29	24	10	6	31	16	7	5	128	40	3	58	630	250	2,000	7,272
153 Mrs. Theo. Mason,	em	111	22	z28	Charles P. Tarbell,	31	17	10	14	28	21	4	3	128	10	0	20	1,376	900	*7,000	2,300
154 Edward F. Haye,		30	0	0	Earl R. Sheldon,	22	8	0	9	40	24	8	17	128	18	0	7	1,172	1,000	*6,000	2,000

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155	Rutland,	1788	1860	George K. Montgomery,	George A. Buttrick, *i.*	'15	'19	342	617	959	307	17	10	27	14	30	0	44	5	21	500
156	" *Swedish*, **Center**,	1889	1892	Axel E. Olson,	A. J. Freedlund,	'99	'20	18	25	43	2	0	0	0	1	5	0	6	0	2	15
157	St. Albans,	1803	1894	Frederick H. Dutcher,	Stanley Cummings,	'16	'19	90	182	272	68	0	7	7	2	7	0	9	0	0	248
158	St. Johnsbury, 1st, **Center**,	1809	1804	Miss Martha S. Hill,	Miles G. Tupper,	'03	'18	14	48	62	25	5	6	11	1	1	0	2	4	2	75
159	" North,	1825	1878	Arthur F. Stone,	Frederick B Richards, *i.*	'91	'14	209	361	570	200	15	13	28	5	1	0	6	8	6	360
160	" **East**,	1840	1840	Seth L. Grant,	J. Newton Perrin, jr.,	'92	'18	33	64	97	38	2	1	3	1	1	0	2	0	0	50
161	" South,	1851	1852	John M. Perham,	Francis A. Poole, *i.*	'93	'17	105	247	352	92	16	16	32	7	3	0	10	10	2	200
162	Salisbury,	1804	1840	Cyrus A. Bump,	[* David W. Reid, *M.E.*]	'18	'19	21	37	58	17	0	4	4	2	0	0	2	0	0	75
163	Sharon,	1782	1837	Mrs. Mary Noyes Gibson,[b]	Hugh Penney,	'19	'19	36	51	87	42	0	0	0	1	1	0	2	0	1	60
164	Sheldon, Federated,	1816	1854	Mrs. H. K. Graves,	[Albert Abbott, *M E.*]		'20	10	28	38	21	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	10
165	Sherburne,	1885	1837	Mrs. Marcia A.E. Johnson,[c]				7	12	19	5	1	1	2	0	0	0	0	1	3	30
166	Shoreham,	1794	1846	Mrs. Albert M. Smith,	R. Barclay Simmons,	'15	'14	24	68	92	15	1	0	1	1	0	0	1	0	0	80
167	South Hero and Grand Isle,	1795	1854	Ray R. Allen,	Albert B. Hoag,	'17	'19	36	63	99	18	3	0	3	1	2	0	3	3	1	87
168	Springfield,	1781	1832	Harry T. Laffin,				128	229	357	92	1	17	18	4	10	1	15	1	8	300
169	Stockbridge, **Gaysville**,	1827	1864	Mrs. Maria Knowlton,	Levi Wild,	'93	'18	5	14	19	7	0	0	0	0	2	0	2	0	0	35
170	Stowe, Federated,	1818	1836	Albert R. Straw,	Miles E. Bacon,	'80	'19	30	56	86	46	0	2	2	0	2	0	2	0	0	68
171	Strafford,	1820	1832	Mrs. Julia E. West,	Pliny H. Fisk,	'85	'19	22	36	58	26	0	0	0	2	0	3	5	0	0	75
172	Sudbury,	1791	1807	Mrs. Grace Bucklin,				11	33	44	12	1	0	1	3	0	0	3	1	0	87
173	Swanton,	1801	1824	Ray W. Kimball,	* F. Wilson Day,	'03	'16	66	143	209	48	19	19	38	4	2	2	8	4	8	150
174	Thetford,	1773	1787	Harley C. Sanborn,[d]	Francis W. Bates,	'87	'18	25	67	92	20	3	0	3	2	3	0	5	0	0	70
175	" **Post Mills**,	1839	1818	Edward N. Heaton,	* Arthur H. Sargent,	'10	'19	17	39	56	17	0	3	3	0	3	1	4	0	0	75
176	" Fed., **North**,	1878	1860	Mrs. Arthur B. Palmer,	[* Clinton W. Carvell, *Lic.*][bb]		'18	14	35	49	10	0	0	0	2	5	3	10	0	1	33
177	Townshend,	1777	1790	Bliss B. Prentiss,	Richard H. Bosworth,	'82	'14	46	79	125	29	7	4	11	1	1	0	2	7	0	85
178	" **West**,	1850	1817	Mrs. William F. Bissell,	William F. Bissell,	'02	'16	10	22	32	10	0	1	1	0	1	0	1	0	0	45
179	Troy, **North**,	1818	1864	Mrs. Elnora H. Ewins,	Charles E. Hayward,	'95	'18	34	98	132	47	17	9	26	0	4	0	4	12	2	100
180	" Federated,	1845	1863	Mrs. Alice H. Gray,[e]	* William G. Macfarlane,[ee]	'13	'17	5	9	14	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	10
181	Tunbridge,	1792	1838	Fred V. Fuller,	[* James C. Mitchell, *M.E.*]	'98	'16	13	22	35	19	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	19	85
182	Underhill,	1801	1845	Mrs. Ethel G. Hawley,[aa]	* William Cashmore,[aa]	'96	'12	21	53	74	11	4	1	5	0	4	30	34	3	2	47
183	Vergennes,	1793	1834	Erwin W. Graves,	William F. Frazier,	'11	'19	78	124	202	48	3	1	4	4	6	46	56	2	9	95
184	Vershire,	1787	1820	Mrs. Nellie H. Tuller,	[George H. Dierlamm, *Lic.*]		'19	21	30	51	24	3	0	3	0	0	0	0	2	2	30
185	Waitsfield,	1796	1875	George M. Jones,	William A. Remele,	'94	'04	39	74	113	33	2	3	5	2	2	3	7	2	6	70
186	Wallingford,	1792	1829	Mrs. Nella E. Ward,	* Ola R. Houghton,	'09	'15	61	150	211	36	7	13	20	2	5	4	11	7	4	200
187	" **South**,	1896	1840	Mrs. Minnie B. Maxham,	* Ola R. Houghton,	'09	'15	10	29	39	6	2	0	2	2	0	0	2	2	0	50
188	Wardsboro, **South**,	1793	1842	Mrs. Herbert Reed,	[* Arthur J. Green, *M.E.*]	'17	'19	8	11	19	6	0	0	0	2	0	13	15	0	0	15
189	Warren,	1885	1840	Mrs. George E. Ford,				12	27	39	11	0	0	0	0	2	0	2	0	0	125
190	Waterbury,	1801	1825	Arva H. Smith,	Edward C. Hayes,	'03	'19	80	116	196	49	16	9	25	0	6	3	9	9	5	128
191	Waterford, **Lower**,	1798	1862	George A. Stoddard,	Edwin E. Grant,[dd]	'98	'11	24	33	57	46	1	3	4	2	3	0	5			24
192	"	1896	1847	Mrs. Ernest C. Johnson,	* William A. Bacon,[ee]	'95	'16	7	29	36	20	0	6	6	0	10	14	24	0	0	20
193	Waterville	1823	1839	Mrs. W. P. Smilie, [*act.*]				5	13	18	2	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	20
194	Weathersfield, 1st,[a]	1775	1821	William B. Page,				14	16	30	13	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	13

[a] **Springfield, R.F.D. 3.** [b] South Royalton, R.F.D. 2. [c] North Sherburne. [d] East Thetford. [e] North Troy. [aa] Jericho. [bb] Fairlee. [ee] Westfield.
[dd] St. Johnsbury, East. [ee] Littleton, N. H. * Serves more than one church. See summary for list.

SUNDAY SCHOOLS		Y.P. S.	§ Mens	CHURCH	BENEVOLENT CONTRIBUTIONS ON APPORTIONMENT										Other	Unde-	LOCAL FINANCES			
Superintendents	¶ Mem.	Mem.	Org.	TREASURERS	A.B.C. F.M.	W. F. Bds	C. E. S.	C.C.B. S.	C.H.M. S.	A. M. A.	C.S.S. E.S.	Min. Relief	Totals	‡W. H.Fed.	Cong'l Contbs	nom'l Gifts	Home Exp.	Salaries	Value Ch. Property	Invest Funds
155 Lloyd P. Wilkins, c	455	0	75	Henry S. Parker,	$300	$332	$70	$80	$669	$242	$52	$54	$1,799	$461	$406	$220	$9,464	$3,000	*$100.000	$11.773
156 J. P. Brunsell,	25	0	0	Miss E. A. Brunsell,	1	1	1	0	3	1	1	1	9	0	10	0			2,200	0
157 H. B. Dickinson,	130	0	0	Mrs. W. D. Chandler,	81	115	28	34	121	64	19	16	478	105	400	300	3,500	1,800	60,000	400
158 Howard Goss, c	92	90	0	Howard Goss,	3	11	5	5	15	3	0	0	42	28			1,256	1,000	*7,000	11,500
159 Charles W. Steele, e	364	0	x82	Fabian S. Reed,	289	513	151	144	482	283	68	48	1,978	300	1,617	639	6,501	2,500	*135,000	35,596
160 W. E. Cushman,	46	36	0	Irving M. Locke,	23	5	5	5	21	15	2	2	78	0		40	900	700	*7,500	0
161 e	238	0	x80	Wilbur J. Farr,	284	567	90	114	408	314	70	60	1,907	430	81		5,589	2,250	*26,000	8,090
162 Cyrus A Bump,	62	36	0		46	29	0	0	46	22	4	3	150	10	22	12	800	550	8,000	4,000
163 Winfield Hefflon,	40	20	0	Mrs. M. C. Noyes,	0	11	5	0	0	0	0	0	16	0	0	0	1,500	†1,125	*6,000	5,000
164 Morton Mack,	20	0	0	Mrs. T. C Jennison,	26	14	6	8	22	14	3	2	95	0	5	49	340	306	*3,500	0
165 John E. Davis,	40	0	0	Henry R. Taylor,	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0			175		1,000	0
166 Howard H. Burge, c	117	0	z8	Mrs. Eliz. A. Smith,	80	42	18	23	75	45	11	8	302	42	33	39	1,286	1,000	*12,500	4,680
167 A. H. Wilder, c	76	26	0	Mrs. Hazel R. Allen,	10	7	0	0	13	0	0	0	30	0		10	689	†1,200	*5,500	2,048
168 Ralph E. Flanders, c	271	30	0	Fred P. Lovejoy,	309	121	71	80	306	203	38	25	1,153	0	50	985	3,034	2,100	*34,500	1,000
169 B. B. Goodale, c	38	20	0	Miss Alice K. Chedel,	4	2	1	1	4	2	1	0	15	0	6	15	516	†664	3,000	686
170	113	34	16		22	22	0	0	22	34	0	0	100	22	50				*10,000	1,900
171 Henry B. Cummings,	25	0	0	Henry B. Cummings,	64	15	6	10	30	21	0	7	153	6	20	10	544	750	*5,800	6,677
172	0	0	0	A. G. Jones,	25	17	5	7	25	12	3	2	96	0			393		*3,300	0
173 Mrs. A. S. Fleury, e	145	54	x92	Mrs. E. W. Jewett,	35	10	14	10	45	20	0	5	139	29	200	125	2,607	1,700	*21,500	600
174 Harley C. Sanborn, e	88	0	0	Ellsworth H. Sargent,	39	21	9	14	36	19	7	5	150	25	5	40	1,000	†1,000	*10,000	6,000
175 Rev. L. E. Tupper, e	65	0	z12	Clinton A. Adams,	0	36	0	0	12	4	0	0	52	16	5	0	1,680	1,000	*4,000	1,000
176 Elmer E. Follansbee, e	55	0	0	Mrs. A. B Palmer,	21	11	5	6	25	11	3	2	84	0		20	468	200	2,500	3,008
177 F. R. McColl, h	109	17	0	Earle E. Knapp,	27	14	5	8	22	8	3	2	89	30	40	5	1,315	900	*7,000	2,550
178 Chas. O. Kimball,	49	27	0	Mrs. Wm. F. Bissell,	12	6	2	3	16	12	1	1	53	0	0	10	616	†600	*3,000	1,800
179 Mrs. Alice H. Gray, c	169	70	0	William D. Kelley,	40	19	6	11	36	13	5	2	132	0		75	1,971	1,200	*12,500	0
180 Wallace D. Miller,	30	0	0	Wallace D. Miller,	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0			150	150	2,000	0
181 O. E. Sleeper, h	30	0	0	Miss Anne R. Howe,	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	335	300	*5,000	2,050
182 Miss Alice E. Ayer, e	66	0	0	Charles E. Ayer,	11	19	8	4	22	8	0	1	73	26	3		500	350	4,000	4,500
183 H. W. Day, c	109	0	0	Wayland S. Bristol,	146	70	35	39	138	66	27	11	532	69	30		2,493	1,700	*16,000	15,938
184 Mrs. Nettie Ackerman,	30	0	z14	Benjamin F. Fuller,	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	204	†1,100	*2,500	0
185 John Connor,	75	25	0	Miss A. M. Bushnell,	43	5	9	3	33	17	5	5	120	39	13	15	806	650	*10,000	3,100
186 William P. Cary, em	179	23	0	Fred Doubleday,	92	50	28	27	110	46	25	13	391	28	337	181	1,907	1,300	*13,000	5,378
187 Mrs. George W. Holt,	20	30	0	Ozi Law,	5	3	1	2	5	3	1	0	20	0	0	20	223	200	4,000	81
188	0	0	0	Lewis K. Webster,	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0			150	150	1,000	740
189 George H. Robinson, e	134	0	0	Mrs. Fred Long,	14	7	3	4	14	0	2	1	45	0	0	0	669	†750	2,000	0
190 Bertrand R. Demeritt,	96	44			105	58	26	28	120	57	15	12	421	85	95		2,456	1,350	*16,000	10,000
191 George A. Stoddard,	30	0	0		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0			364	312	*2,300	200
192 C. I. Harvey,	25	0	0	Mrs. Flora Wallace,	1	6	0	0	30	0	0	0	37	0	0	0	456	306	2,000	0
193	0	0	0		0	0	0	0	4	0	0	0	4	0			0		0	0
194 Mrs. Wm. B. Page,	25	0	0	James C. Perkins,	2	1	1	1	2	2	0	0	9	2			83		4,000	0

¶ (h Includes Home Department. c Cradle Roll. e Both Home Department and Cradle Roll. m Branch School.)
§ (x Includes both Men and Boys. z Boys only.)
‡ These amounts included in totals of Homeland Societies.
† Salary includes Missionary Aid.
* Church has a Parsonage.

CHURCHES			CHURCH CLERKS	PASTORS			MEMBERS				ADMITTED			REMOVED				BAPT.		FAM.
Cities or Towns	Org.	Erctd		Names	Ord.	Cld.	Ma.	Fe.	To.	Ab.	Conf.	Let.	To.	Dth.	Let.	Rev	To.	Ad.	Inf.	
195 Weathersfield, East,[a]	1838	1837	Mrs. W. H. Haskell,				4	4	8	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	18
196 " **Ascutneyville,**	1869	1847	George H. Fitch,	* Oscar W. Peterson,[e]	'02	'17	18	28	46	6	4	1	5	0	0	0	0	5	12	22
197 West Fairlee,[b]	1809	1856	Mrs. K. M. Coleman,	* Arthur H. Sargent,[aa]	'10	'19	5	15	20	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	24
198 Westfield, Federated,	1818	1906	Homer B. Hitchcock,	* William G. Macfarlane,	'13	'17	17	26	43	17	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	30
199 Westford, Federated,	1801	1840	Mrs. Frank B. Smith,	[W. W. White, *Bapt.*]		'19	23	39	62	25	0	0	0	0	4	0	4	0	0	48
200 Westminster,	1767	1835	Miss Almira J. Burwell,	Edward W. Wild, *i.*	'14	'17	40	63	103	31	10	6	16	1	2	37	40	7	4	140
201 " **West,**	1799	1827	Mrs. F. R. Chapman,	Walter R. Curtis,	'84	'15	17	41	58	17	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	56
202 Westmore,	1893	1895	Mrs. Elma O. Knight,[d]	Theophilus H. Root,	'92	'20	13	20	33	13	0	3	3	2	2	2	6	2	1	37
203 Weston,	1799	1839	Miss Emma C. Peabody,				6	17	23	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	18
204 West Rutland, Federated,	1773	1885	Charles A. Parker,	Thomas A. Carlson,	'93	'19	50	73	123	45	0	4	4	4	0	4	8	0	0	75
205 Weybridge,[c]	1794	1848	Charles S. James,	Samuel H. Barnum,	'83	'19	50	44	94	28	0	4	4	1	6	0	7	0	0	40
206 Whiting,	1799	1811	Mrs. Addie C. Wooster,	Bernard L. Chase,	'11	'20	14	32	46	10	0	0	0	1	4	0	5	0	1	70
207 Williamstown,	1795	1812	Miss Mary E. Waterman,	* Charles E. Walsh,	'09	'19	31	61	92	29	3	1	4	3	4	0	7	2	1	65
208 Williston, Federated,	1800	1830	William M. Barber,	[Harry G. Banks, *M.E.*]		'17	18	28	46	15	1	1	2	1	2	0	3	1	0	30
209 Wilmington,	1855	1884	Charles H. Parmelee,	William C. Clark,	'91	'17	29	61	90	27	4	2	6	2	5	0	7	2	1	100
210 Windham,	1805	1802	Paul P. Jones,	Leslie H. Metcalf,	'98	'16	22	38	60	38	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	1	35
211 Windsor,	1768	1798	Walter W. Blanchard,	Burton A. Lucas,	'97	'16	44	96	140	60	1	2	3	2	9	0	11	1	5	100
212 Wolcott,	1818	1830	Mrs. Truman M. Jones,				8	20	28	16	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	7
213 Woodbury, **South,**	1875	1872		* Morton W. Hale, **Cabot,**	'03	'16	10	23	33	20	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	43
214 Woodstock,	1781	1808	Dr. H. Chester Jackson,	* Robbins W. Barstow,	'16	'17	76	177	253	52	13	3	16	4	4	0	8	7	5	220
215 Worcester,	1824		Mrs. Emily S. Bailey,				2	9	11	7	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	

[a] **Springfield, R.F.D. 2.** [b] **South Fairlee.** [c] **Middlebury, R.F.D. 1.** [d] Orleans, R.F.D. 2. [e] Claremont, N. H. [aa] Post Mills.

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NAME OF STATE ORGANIZATION: VERMONT CONGREGATIONAL CONFERENCE.

CHURCHES: *Supplied by,* — Pastors installed, 17; pastors recognized, 2; pastors, 144; licentiates, 4; vacancies, 48. Total, 215.

MINISTERS: Pastors installed, 17; pastors recognized, 1; pastors, 115. Total, 133. Without charge, 57. Total number of ministers, 190.

MEMBERSHIP: No. of men, 7,717; No. of women, 15,366. Total, 23,083. Absent, 6,650. *Additions,* — on confession, 749; by letter, 508. Total, 1,257. *Removals,* — death, 364; letter, 582; revision, 466. Total, 1,412.

BAPTISMS: Adults, 435; infants, 473.

FAMILIES: 17,290.

SUNDAY SCHOOLS: Members, 17,819. Independent Mission Schools, 4; members, 95. Total, 17,914.

YOUNG PEOPLE'S ORGANIZATIONS: Societies, 105; members, 3,783.

MEN'S AND BOYS' ORGANIZATIONS: Societies, 44; members, 1,772.

CONTRIBUTIONS: American Board (Churches, 171), $12,214; Woman's Foreign Boards (167), $7,464; Education Society (157), $2,613; Church Building Society (156), $3,262; Home Missionary Society (183), $12,230; American Missionary Association (168), $6,512; Sunday School Extension Society (151), $1,627; Ministerial Relief (149), $1,240. Total (191), $47,162. Other Congregational Benevolences (124), $10,962; Undenominational Gifts (104), $8,615. Grand total (193), $66,739. Woman's Home Missionary Federation (124), $6,245.

PILGRIM MEMORIAL FUND: Cash Receipts, 1918–1919, $39,666.

HOME EXPENSES: No. of churches reporting, 193; amount, $272,383.

VALUE OF CHURCH PROPERTY: No. of churches reporting, 212; amount, $2,542,700.

SUNDAY SCHOOLS		Y.P. S. Mem.	§ Mens Org.	CHURCH TREASURERS	BENEVOLENT CONTRIBUTIONS ON APPORTIONMENT										Other Cong'l Contbs	Undenom'l Gifts	LOCAL FINANCES			
Superintendents	¶ Mem.				A.B.C. F.M.	W. F. Bds	C. E. S.	C.C.B. S.	C.H.M. S.	A. M. A.	C.S.S. E.S.	Min. Relief	Totals	‡W. H.Fed.			Home Exp.	Salaries	Value Ch. Property	Invest Funds
195	0	0	0	Mrs. Fred Tucker,	$0	$0	$0	$0	$0	$0	$0	$0	$0	$0	$	$	$50	$	$2,000	$1,900
196 Miss Sara E. Warren,	25	0	0	George H. Fitch,	5	3	1	1	16	2	0	0	28	19	70	0	160	150	3,500	400
197	0	0	0	Miss M. M. Munn,	5	3	1	1	4	2	1	0	17	0		1	660	†400	1,100	900
198 Homer B. Hitchcock,	38	30	0	William B. Gilpin,	15	13	0	22	10	10	0	12	82	1	0	30	950	650	*8,500	14,000
199 H. C. Bates,	40	0	0		29	18	5	0	15	27	3	3	100	27	3	3	600	500	*6,200	2,300
200 Mrs. G. H. Walker, em	157	24	x116	Frank H. Farr,	61	30	12	0	55	26	6	4	194	0	26	41	1,331	1,000	*8,000	3,867
201 Hilary McElroy, e	77	52	0	Walter F. Buxton,	41	27	9	27	21	19	8	3	155	34	31	5	850	700	*9,000	7,350
202 A. E. French, e	47	0	0	Marshall E. Calkins,	14	11	9	6	16	2	0	0	58	3	0	0	642	†800	*5,500	500
203	0	0	0	Miss E. C Peabody,	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0			*1,700	0
204 William A. Thrall, e	94	49	25	T. B. Wheeler,	420	39	20	27	53	64	10	0	633	33	305	292	1,400	1,200	*15,000	0
205 Wm. K. MacMurtry, e	108	30	0	Wm. K. MacMurtry,	53	21	9	12	41	23	5	8	172	3	72		642	700	*9,000	2,564
206 A. G. Freegard,	50	0	0	A. G. Freegard,	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	5		1,081	1,200	*6,000	3,000
207 Walter B. Simons, e	74	21	0	Mrs. Leon E. Poor,	60	29	3	4	78	7	2	1	184	18	702	0	1,360	1,050	*10,000	4,436
208	0	20	0	William M. Barber,	45	0	7	20	33	15	5	5	130	6	50	75			2,500	2,850
209 Chas. H. Parmelee, cm	89	0	z6	Mrs. Inez Rice,	34	17	8	10	34	16	4	2	125	0		58	1,400	1,086	5,000	6,050
210 Luther B. Chapman, e	60	0	0	Mrs. Hattie P. Jones,	29	13	5	7	24	12	3	4	97	13	45	35	556	†600	*4,000	1,625
211 Charles H. Skinner,	60	0	25	Miss L. S. McClary,	41	25	20	22	46	41	8	15	218	32	22	60	1,800	1,300	*21,000	2,200
212	0	0	0		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		500	1,000
213	26	0	0		0	0	0	0	10	0	0	0	10	0			304	265	2,000	0
214 Rev. R. W. Barstow, e	250	40	0	William S. Dana,	287	185	64	78	247	151	40	48	1,100	80	69	134	3,325	2,000	*45,000	26,150
215	0	0	0		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Undesignated gifts,					0	0	0	14	0	0	0	0	14	0	2	0	0	0	0	0

¶ (c Includes Cradle Roll. e Both Home Department and Cradle Roll. m Branch School.)
§ (x Includes both Men and Boys. z Boys only.) ‡ These amounts included in totals of Homeland Societies. † Salary includes Missionary Aid. * Church has a Parsonage.

INVESTED FUNDS: No. of churches reporting, 158; amount, $688,378.
DEBTS: No. of churches reporting, 19; amount, $23,173.
SALARIES: No. of churches reporting, 171; amount, $159,435. No. receiving Missionary aid, 36; amount, $7,650. Total, $167,085. No. Pastoral units, 144. Average, $1,160.
CHURCHES WITH PARSONAGE: 155.
INCREASE: Young People's Societies, Members, 83; Gifts to National Societies, $10,896: Other Congregational Gifts, $1,422; Undenominational Gifts, $1,210. Total Benevolence, $13,528. Home Expense, $30,210; Value of Property, $71,200; Amount of Debt, $3,155.
DECREASE: Members, 155; Sunday School Members, 501.
LEGACIES: (17), Bennington, 1st, $2,000; Brattleboro, $5,500; Hartford, $600; Jericho, 1st, $250; Jericho, 2d, $250; Ludlow, $475; Morrisville, $1,700; Putney, $200; Randolph, $79; Rochester, $600; Saxton's River, $179; Bellows Falls, $2,200; Royalton, South, $300; Swanton, $100; Vergennes, $500; Waterford, $171; Westminster, $50. Total, $15,154.
YOKED CHURCHES: Churches, Nos. 11-78; 17-67; 24-83; 27-214; 31-32; 33-207; 39-213; 40-41; 46-118; 58-62; 66-105; 70-71; 74-176; 91-173; 100-182; 102-109; 135-136; 141-156; 152-153; 175-197; 180-198; 186-187.

SUMMARY

Associations	Churches	Church Members			Admissions				Removals				Net Gain	Net Loss
		Ma.	Fe.	To.	Ab.	C.	L.	To.	De.	Di.	R.	To.		
Addison	14	584	1049	1633	510	20	21	41	32	33	46	111		70
Bennington	10	409	848	1257	290	45	31	76	17	20	3	40	36	
Caledonia	18	846	1702	2548	823	99	74	173	40	67	21	128	45	
Chittenden	16	841	1617	2458	731	66	60	126	21	62	60	143	17	
Essex	3	45	60	105	23	0	2	2	6	4	8	18	16	
Franklin and G. I.	15	386	750	1136	338	51	30	81	18	40	21	79	2	
Grafton-Orange	12	299	691	990	286	27	41	68	20	38	14	72		4
Lamoille	10	231	536	767	281	38	21	59	14	23	1	38	21	
Orange	11	402	779	1181	375	76	22	98	18	25	3	46	52	
Orleans	19	542	1069	1611	485	80	31	111	26	35	2	63	48	
Rutland	20	943	1830	2773	760	65	47	112	53	76	23	152		40
Union	12	382	714	1096	367	13	20	33	9	22	6	37		4
Washington	18	601	1304	1905	397	64	36	100	25	53	149	227		127
Windham	19	723	1366	2089	533	56	42	98	27	51	103	181		83
Windsor	18	483	1051	1534	451	49	30	79	38	33	6	77	2	
Total	215	7717	15366	23083	6650	749	508	1257	364	582	466	1412		155

Associations	Bapt.					Men and Boys	Benevolence			Home Exp.	Valuation	Funds
	Ad.	Inf.	Families	S. S. Memb.	Y. P. Soc.		Appt.	Other Cong.	Other			
Addison	8	23	1097	1290	176	62	3851	1058	454	16711	157800	61693
Bennington	22	45	948	872	117	20	3585	548	437	18265	217000	37340
Caledonia	55	46	1771	2025	451	250	6417	2155	991	31117	275800	89704
Chittenden	37	33	1391	1542	468	236	7193	746	915	26919	274700	57049
Essex	0	4	90	103	17	0	100	12	0	742	14500	2826
Franklin and G. I.	9	24	774	666	155	107	1582	707	567	12295	143100	16732
Grafton-Orange	19	20	877	818	169	58	1610	111	208	16177	99000	33941
Lamoille	26	22	855	737	157	16	843	175	542	7622	66500	10250
Orange	52	30	824	821	211	63	1640	923	382	12130	121100	28663
Orleans	44	55	1298	1616	491	131	2563	639	400	20659	192500	54496
Rutland	36	53	1752	1789	247	100	5066	1515	1125	27087	268000	72782
Union	14	29	827	830	195	26	2093	296	1081	7637	95800	25250
Washington	41	28	1732	1641	234	18	2402	281	457	30534	241500	37967
Windham	37	33	1581	1670	443	507	5503	1609	670	23976	187425	87756
Windsor	35	28	1445	1399	252	178	2700	185	386	20482	187975	65929
Total	435	473	17292	17819	3783	1772	47148	10960	8615	272353	2542700	688378

ASSOCIATIONS OF CHURCHES

I. ADDISON ASSOCIATION

Organized as Consociation, June 13, 1804; as Conference, September 10, 1861; name changed to Association, May 20, 1908.

Registrar, Rev. W. F. Frazier, Vergennes.

Churches—Bridport, Bristol, Cornwall, Ferrisburg, Leicester, Middlebury, New Haven, Orwell, Ripton, Salisbury, Shoreham, Vergennes, Weybridge, Whiting.

Met at Weybridge, May 25, 1920. General topic, This county of ours. Sermon by Rev. E. V. Young. Next meeting at Bristol.

Ministers—Samuel H. Barnum, Charles H. Dickinson, William F. Frazier, Hervey Gulick, D. Lee Hilliard, L. Myrven Isaacs, J. Hall Long, William G. Macfarlane, Henry C. Newell, Thomas M. Ross, R. Barclay Simmons, John M. Thomas, J. Christopher Williams, E. Vernon Young.

Licentiates—Ezra Brainerd, Edwin D. Collins, Guy C. Hendry.

Advisory Committee and Committee on Ministerial Standing—Rev. S. H. Barnum, Rev. H. C. Newell, Rev. W. F. Frazier.

Committee on Benevolence—Dea. R. H. Holmes.

II. BENNINGTON ASSOCIATION

Organized December 10, 1872; name changed to Association, June 30, 1908.

Registrar, Rev. W. R. Hamlin, North Bennington.

Churches—East Arlington, Bennington First, Bennington Second, North Bennington, Dorset, East Dorset, Manchester, Peru, North Pownal, Rupert.

Met at Peru, June 1, 1920. General topic, This county of ours. Next meeting with Second church, Bennington.

Ministers—C. F. Hill Crathern, George H. Gilbert, William R. Hamlin, W. LeRoy Haven, Charles E. Hitchcock, J. Duke King, Clarence C. Lyon, George S. Mills, Sidney K. Perkins, Vincent Ravi-Booth, Mabel T. Winch.

Advisory Committee and Committee on Benevolence—Rev. G. S. Mills, Mr. P. T. H. Pierson, Rev. W. L. Haven, Rev. W. R. Hamlin, Rev. Vincent Ravi-Booth.

Committee on Ministerial Standing—Rev. W. L. Haven, Rev. J. D. King, Mr. C. W. White, Rev. M. T. Winch, Rev. S. K. Perkins, Rev. W R. Hamlin.

III. CALEDONIA ASSOCIATION

Organized October 23, 1834; name changed to Association, June 1, 1909.

Registrar, Rev. C. A. Adams, Danville.

Churches—McIndoe Falls, Barnet, East Burke, Burke Second, Danville, Greensboro, East Hardwick, Hardwick, Kirby, Lyndon, Lyndonville, Peacham, St. Johnsbury Center, St. Johnsbury North, St. Johnsbury East, St. Johnsbury South, Lower Waterford, Waterford.

Met at Danville, June 3, 1920. General topic, This county of ours. Sermon by Rev. H. J. Hinman. Next meeting at Barnet.

Ministers—Chauncey A. Adams, Henry T. Barnard, Charles B. Bliss, Andrew S. Bole, Robert Clark, Albert V. Fisher, Edward G. French, Edwin R. Gordon, Edwin E. Grant, Arthur E. Gregg, Herbert J. Hinman, John Irons, Charles H. Merrill, Charles H. Morse, J. Newton Perrin, Jr., Francis A. Poole, Frederick B. Richards, Miles G. Tupper, Hiram Q. Ward, Charles Wattie.

Licentiate—Arthur P. Fitt.

Advisory Committee—Rev. C. A. Adams, Rev. C. H. Merrill, Mr. E. H. Cowles.

Committee on Ministerial Standing—Rev. F. B. Richards, Mr. P. S. Harris, Rev. C. A. Adams.

Apportionment Committee—Rev. C. B. Bliss, Mr. A. F. Stone, Rev. A. E. Gregg.

IV. CHITTENDEN ASSOCIATION

Organized as Consociation, July 4, 1828; as Conference, June 10, 1851; name changed to Association, June 2, 1909.

Registrar, Rev. William Millar, Essex Junction.

Churches—Burlington First, Burlington College St., Charlotte, Colchester, Winooski, Essex, Essex Junction, Hinesburg, Jericho First, Jericho Second, Milton, Richmond, South Hero and Grand Isle, Underhill, Westford, Williston.

Met at South Hero, June 2, 1920. General topic, This association of ours. Sermon by Rev. F. E. Talbee. Next meeting at Richmond.

Ministers—Chauncey C. Adams, Stephen G. Barnes William Cashmore, Rollins B. Fay, Charles E. Hayward, William Hazen, Frank W. Hemenway, Edward E. Herrick, Francis J. Malzard, Charles C. Merrill, Frederick N. Rutan, I. Chipman Smart, Clifford H. Smith, Evan Thomas.

Licentiate—Samuel F. Emerson.

Advisory Committee—Rev. S. G. Barnes, Rev. F. J. Malzard, Dr. C. M. Ferrin.

Committee on Ministerial Standing—Mr. T. L. Kinney, Rev. F. N. Rutan, Rev. I. C. Smart.

Committee on Benevolence—Rev. William Millar, Mr. F. S. Pease, Mr. G. E. Bartlett.

V. [COOS AND] ESSEX ASSOCIATION

Organized February 19, 1833; name changed to Association, June 17, 1908.

Registrar, Rev. W. A. Bacon, Littleton, N. H.

Churches—Granby and Victory, Guildhall, Lunenburg; also nine New Hampshire churches.

Ministers—William A. Bacon, John G. Vance.

This Association meets in the fall. Its officers, as well as its churches, are mostly in New Hampshire.

VI. FRANKLIN AND GRAND ISLE ASSOCIATION

Organized as Consociation June 14, 1808; as Conference, June 7, 1865; name changed to Association, June 4, 1908.

Scribe, Rev. F. W. Day, Swanton.

Churches—Alburg Springs, Alburg, Bakersfield, East Berkshire, Berkshire Second, Enosburg, Fairfield, East Fairfield, Franklin, Georgia, Highgate, Montgomery, St. Albans, Sheldon, Swanton.

Met at Enosburg, June 10, 1920. General topic, This association of ours. Sermon by Rev. Stanley Cummings. The program included the ordination of Mr. Richard A. Burn. Next meeting at Bakersfield.

Ministers—Arthur Brotherston, Richard A. Burn, Stanley Cummings, F. Wilson Day, W. Parkyn Jackson, Evarts Kent, Wilmot M. Mayhew, William R. Price, Arthur B. Ross, Edgar S. Vradenburg.

Advisory Committee and Committee on Ministerial Standing—Rev. W. R. Price, Rev. Arthur Brotherston, Dr. G. O. Mitchell.

Committee on Benevolence—Rev. A. B. Ross, Mr. C. L. Smith, Mr. T. C. Jennison.

VII. GRAFTON-ORANGE ASSOCIATION

Organized October 26, 1909.

Secretary, Mr. W. R. Conant, Orford, N. H.

Churches—Bradford, Corinth, East Corinth, Fairlee, Newbury,

Wells River, West Newbury, Thetford, Post Mills, North Thetford, Vershire, West Fairlee; also thirteen New Hampshire churches.

Met at Lebanon, N. H., Nov. 4 and 5, 1919. General topic, The church as a builder of character.

Met also at Haverhill, N. H., June 4, 1920. General topic, The church alive. Next meeting at Wells River.

Ministers—J. Lambert Alexander, Francis W. Bates, A. Reginald Crewe, Donald Fraser, Henry S. Ives, William J. McNeill, Arthur H. Sargent, William Slade.

Licentiates—Clinton W. Carvell, George H. Dierlamm, George S. Worcester.

Advisory Committee—Mr. G. L. Winship, Rev. F. G. Chutter, Rev. A. T. Borland, Rev. A. I. Davis, Mr. S. E. Clark.

Committee on Ministerial Standing—Prof. C. D. Adams, Rev. Donald Fraser, Rev. H. S. Ives, Rev. A. F. Boland, Rev. F. G. Chutter.

Committee on Benevolence—Mr. D. M. Bond, Rev. Donald Fraser, Rev. H. S. Ives.

VIII. LAMOILLE ASSOCIATION

Organized June, 1840; name changed to Association, June 2, 1910.

Registrar, Rev. F. W. Hazen, Johnson.

Churches—Cambridge, Jeffersonville, Eden, North Hyde Park, Hyde Park, Johnson, Morrisville, Stowe, Waterville, Wolcott.

Met at Jeffersonville, June 9, 1920. General topic, This county of ours. Sermon by Rev. W. H. Gould. Next meeting at Johnson.

Ministers—Miles E. Bacon, Herbert W. Cummings, Lemuel Davis, George E. Goodliffe, Vitellus M. Hardy, Harry E. Harned, Charles A. Hatch, Frank W. Hazen, Henry C. Howard, Frank B. Hyde, Arthur Mercer, Wilbur Rand.

Advisory Committee—Mr. H. W. Varnum, Rev. F. L. Stacy, Mr. C. D. Howe, Rev. Arthur Mercer, Mr. L. H. Lewis.

Committee on Ministerial Standing—Mr. H. W. Varnum, Rev. F. L. Stacy, Rev. V. M. Hardy, Mr. I. M. Powell, Mr. E. J. Mills.

Committee on Benevolence—Rev. G. E. Goodliffe, Mr. H. M. Maxfield, Mrs. Charles Wilder.

IX. ORANGE ASSOCIATION

Organized October 5, 1830; name changed to Association, June 17, 1908.

Clerk, John M. Comstock, Chelsea.

Churches—Braintree First, East Braintree and West Brookfield, Brookfield First, East Brookfield, Chelsea, Randolph Center, Randolph, Strafford, Tunbridge, Williamstown.

Met at Brookfield, May 26 and 27, 1920. General topic, This association of ours. Next meeting at Tunbridge.

Ministers—A. Lincoln Dunton, John A. Lawrence, J. Frank Locke, Fraser Metzger, William Taylor, Charles K. Tracy, Leland E. Tupper.

Advisory Committee—Rev. C. E. Walsh, Rev. Fraser Metzger, Mr. E. A. Thomas.

Committee on Ministerial Standing—Rev. H. A. Barker, Rev. J. A. Lawrence, Rev. W. T. Sparhawk.

Committee on Benevolence—Mrs. Fraser Metzger, Rev. J. S. Clark, Mrs. J. M. Comstock.

X. ORLEANS ASSOCIATION

Organized June 18 1839; name changed to Association, June 2, 1909.

Registrar, Rev. Robert Lawton, Island Pond.

Churches—Albany, Barton, Island Pond, Brownington and Orleans, West Charleston, East Charleston, Coventry, North Craftsbury, Derby, Glover, Holland, Irasburg, Lowell, Morgan, Newport, North Troy, Troy, Westfield, Westmore.

Met at Island Pond, June 11, 1920. General topic, This county of ours. Sermon by Rev. F. E. Davison.

Ministers—Walter C. Carroll, Frank E. Davison, Fred M. Dickey, Leland A. Edwards, Rufus C. Flagg, Thomas Hall, Rollo A. Hamilton, James J. Hutchinson, Robert Lawton, William Millar, Carl J. Peterson, Edwin Rose, Robert Thomson, Wilmond A. Warner.

Licentiate—C. Eugene Southard.

Advisory Committee—Rev. L. A. Edwards, Rev. R. A. Hamilton, Mr. J. C. Carpenter, Mr. S. T. Vance.

Committee on Ministerial Standing—Rev. Robert Lawton, Mr. J. R. Akin, Rev. C. J. Peterson, Mr. O. W. Locke.

Committee on Benevolence—Rev. C. E. Hayward, Mr. R. W. Spear, Mrs. Ella L. Bryant.

XI. RUTLAND ASSOCIATION

Organized as Consociation, June 6, 1797; as Conference, June 1860; name changed to Association, September 23, 1908.

Registrar, Rev. O. R. Houghton, Wallingford.

Churches—Benson, Brandon, Castleton, Clarendon, Danby, Fair Haven, Fair Haven Welsh; Hubbardton, Middletown Springs, Pawlet, West Pawlet, Pittsford, Florence, Proctor Swedish, Rutland, Center Rutland Swedish, Sudbury, Wallingford, South Wallingford, West Rutland.

Met at Castleton, Sept. 30, 1919. General topic, The church as a builder of character. Sermon by Rev. G. A. Buttrick.

Ministers—George I. Adams, Robert H. Ball, Walter P. Bradford, George A. Buttrick, Thomas A. Carlson, Stephen C. Fooks, Ola R. Houghton, John H. Kingsbury, William A. McIntire, Robert G. McLeod, John D. Owen, David H. Strong, Walter Thorpe, Edward P. Treat.

Advisory Committee and Committee on Benevolence—Mr. R. C. Taft, Rev. W. A. McIntire, Dr. E. R. Clark, Mr. J. A. Leach, Mr. D. S. Carpenter.

Committee on Ministerial Standing—Rev. R. H. Ball, Mr. C. A. Parker, Rev. O. R. Houghton.

XII. UNION ASSOCIATION

Organized September 30, 1885; name changed to Association, October 7, 1909.

Registrar, Mrs. W. J. Ballou, Chester.

Churches—Simonsville, Chester, Grafton, Londonderry, Ludlow, Tyson, Springfield, Weathersfield First, Weathersfield East, Ascutneyville, Weston, Windham.

Met at Chester, Oct. 1, 1919. General topic, The church as a builder of character. Sermon by Rev. L. H. Metcalf.

Ministers—Earle H. Ballou, Henry L. Ballou, William J. Ballou, Raymond A. Beardslee, Thomas D. Davies, William W. Evans, Leslie H. Metcalf, Thomas D. Preston, Samuel L. Vincent.

Advisory Committee and Committee on Benevolence—Mr. H. H. Blanchard, Mr. C. E. Bacon, Rev. W. J. Ballou.

Committee on Ministerial Standing—Rev. H. L. Ballou, Rev. R. A. Beardslee, Rev. L. H. Metcalf.

XIII. WASHINGTON ASSOCIATION

Organized November 29, 1837; name changed to Association, June 2, 1909.

Registrar, Rev. J. B. Sargent, Northfield.

Churches—Barre, East Barre, Berlin, Cabot, East Calais, Calais, Duxbury, Marshfield, Montpelier, Northfield, Orange, Plainfield, Roxbury, Waitsfield, Warren, Waterbury, South Woodbury, Worcester.

Met at Barre, June 8, 1920. General topic, This county of ours. Sermon by Rev. E. C. Hayes. Next meeting at Marshfield.

Ministers—Fred G. Aylmore, John W. Barnett, Frank Blomfield, William L. Boicourt, Elisha S. Fiske, George A. Furness, Frank L. Goodspeed, Morton W. Hale, Edward C. Hayes, Amos J. Lord, Ira E. Pinney, James Ramage, William A. Remele, Charles N. St. John, James B. Sargent, Willis T. Sparhawk.

Licentiate—Carl V. Woodbury.

Advisory and Missionary Committee—Rev. F. L. Goodspeed, Rev. James Ramage, Dea. J. C. Griggs.

Committee on Ministerial Standing—Rev. Frank Blomfield, Rev. W. A. Remele, Dea. D. B. Dwinell.

XIV. WINDHAM ASSOCIATION

Organized September, 1841; name changed to Association, September 9, 1909.

Registrar, Rev. W. R. Curtis, Westminster West.

Churches—West Brattleboro, Brattleboro Center, Brattleboro Swedish, West Dover, Dummerston, Guilford, Jamaica, Marlboro, Newfane, Putney, Saxton's River, Bellows Falls, Cambridgeport, Townshend, West Townshend, Wardsboro, Westminster, Westminster West, Wilmington.

Met at Wilmington, Oct. 2, 1919. General topic, The church as a builder of character. Next meeting at Brattleboro.

Ministers—Charles B. Atwood, William F. Bissell, Richard H. Bosworth, George F. Chapin, William C. Clark, Alfred Cornell, Walter R. Curtis, Henry Lamb, Charles W. Mock, Theodore J. Poelman, John C. Prince, Henry H. Shaw, Newell W. Whitman, Edward W. Wild, Fred M. Wiswall, Herbert P. Woodin, Arthur W. Woodworth.

Advisory Committee and Committee on Benevolence—Rev. R. H. Bosworth, Rev. J. C. Prince, Mr. G. H. Clapp.

Committee on Ministerial Standing—Rev. J. C. Prince, Rev. H. P. Woodin, Rev. H. H. Shaw.

XV. WINDSOR ASSOCIATION

Organized September 17, 1840; name changed to Association, May 25, 1909.

Registrar, Rev. G. E. Ladd, West Woodstock.

Churches—Bethel, Bridgewater, Hartford, West Hartford, Quechee, Wilder, Hartland, Norwich, Pittsfield, Pomfret, Rochester, Royalton, South Royalton, Sharon, Sherburne, Gaysville, Windsor, Woodstock.

Met at Sharon, May 27 and 28, 1920. General topic, This county of ours. Sermon by Rev. Herbert Dixon. Next meeting at Wilder.

Ministers—Frederick R. Champlin, Leland G. Chase, Charles C. Claris, Charles F. Echterbecker, Ernest W. Eldridge, Charles O. Gill, George E. Ladd, Burton A. Lucas, Robert W. McClure, John H. Moseley, Charles F. Partridge, Hugh Penney, Edward E. Robbins, Levi Wild.

Advisory Committee—Rev. G. E. Ladd, Rev. R. W. Barstow, Mr, H. C. Pease, Rev. L G. Chase.

Committee on Ministerial Standing—Mr. H. C. Pease, Rev. G. E. Ladd, Mr. A. P. Clifford, Rev. J. H. Moseley, Rev. E. E. Robbins.

Committee on Benevolence—Rev. Levi Wild, Rev. Herbert Dixon, Mrs. G. A. Laird.

INCORPORATED CHURCHES

(For the present method of incorporation, see Sections 5701 and 5702, General Laws of Vermont)

Windsor	Sept. 13, 1830	Worcester	Aug. 30, 1899
Northfield	Dec. 1878	Chester	1900
Bellows Falls	March 22, 1889	Swanton	Feb. 2, 1901
Cornwall	March 22, 1889	Bennington First	Sept. 10, 1901
St. Johnsbury South	April 8, 1889	St. Johnsbury East	March 5, 1902
Wilder	June 5, 1889	Vergennes	Nov. 11, 1902
Newport	July 1, 1889	West Newbury	Nov.21, 1902
Alburg Springs	July 26, 1889	Westminster	Sept. 2, 1903
Derby	August 2, 1889	West Townshend	Sept. 6, 1904
South Woodbury	Sept. 2, 1889	Bethel	Dec. 30, 1904
Barnet	Sept. 2, 1889	Bradford	Feb. 24, 1905
Underhill	Sept. 18, 1889	Pittsford	March 10, 1905
Jeffersonville	Sept. 30, 1889	Guilford	Nov. 20, 1905
Plainfield	Oct. 14, 1889	Randolph	Nov. 27, 1905
Ludlow	Dec. 24, 1889	Whiting	March 14, 1906
St. Johnsbury North	Dec. 30, 1889	Eden	March 18, 1907
Stowe	Jan. 2, 1890	Jamaica	Jan. 11, 1908
Chelsea	Jan. 29, 1890	East Hardwick	Jan. 15, 1908
Barre	Feb. 24, 1890	Lyndonville	Jan. 31, 1908
Tunbridge	March 26, 1890	Enosburg	March 22, 1909
South Hero and Grand Isle	Dec. 29, 1890	McIndoe Falls	Jan. 3, 1910
Charlotte	Feb. 4, 1891	Rupert	April 11, 1911
Norwich	April 14, 1891	Winooski	April 13, 1911
Colchester	April 24, 1891	Alburg	June 8, 1911
Wolcott	May 1, 1891	North Troy	Aug. 5, 1911
Glover	July 9, 1892	Westford	Jan. 22, 1912
Island Pond	Oct. 17, 1892	East Dorset	Jan. 11,1913
Brattleboro First	Dec. 13, 1892	Pawlet	Feb. 3, 1913
Randolph Center	Dec. 19, 1892	East Braintree and West Brookfield	March 11, 1913
Peacham	Dec. 19, 1892	Waterbury	April 16, 1913
Hyde Park	Feb. 3, 1893	Benson	April 26, 1913
West Hartford	Jan. 8, 1894	Essex Junction	May 17, 1913
Wells River	Feb. 14, 1894	Bakersfield	Dec. 6, 1913
Simonsville	March 29, 1894	West Pawlet, Welsh	June 25, 1914
North Hyde Park	April 28, 1894	Newfane	Dec. 30, 1914
East Barre	Sept. 19, 1894	Brattleboro	Jan. 12. 1915
Marshfield	Oct. 12, 1894	Danby	Feb. 17, 1915
Williamstown	Nov. 20, 1894	Springfield	Feb. 9, 1916
Richmond	Dec. 19, 1894	East Berkshire	Jan. 2, 1917
Saxton's River	Oct. 30, 1895	Lunenburg	Oct. 27, 1917
Franklin	April 28, 1896	Wardsboro	Nov. 2, 1917
West Charleston	May 14, 1896	South Wallingford	Dec. 7, 1917
Westminster West	Sept. 9, 1896	Wallingford	Dec. 15, 1917
Brownington and Orleans	Nov. 5, 1896	Corinth	Jan. 23, 1918
Berlin	Jan. 14, 1897	East Corinth	Jan. 23, 1918
Bristol	June 21, 1897	Montpelier	Sept. 5, 1918
South Royalton	Jan. 28, 1899	Hardwick	Jan. 21. 1920
		Duxbury	Feb. 16, 1920

APPENDIX

A

REPORT OF BOARD OF DIRECTORS

The Board of Directors functions largely thru special Committees. To report on them would cover the ground of reports already in your hands. This report relates simply to portions of work lying outside the fields of the several committees.

Five meetings of the Directors and two of the Executive Committee have been held during the year.

With one exception all members designated by the State Conference have served during the year—Mr. O. A. Whitcomb of Woodstock resigned on account of ill health; and Rev. Geo. E. Ladd of North Pomfret, being nominated by the Windsor Association, was chosen to fill the vacancy.

Organization

Certain changes in Organization have been made relating mostly to Standing Committees.

1. The name of the Interchurch Federation Committee is changed to the Interchurch World Movement Committee.

2. The Committee on Religious Education and the Ministry is separated so that now there is one on Religious Education and one on the Ministry. The particular duty of the latter is to have charge of a vigorous campaign for securing recruits for the ministry and other forms of Christian service.

3. The Pastor-at-Large, Rev. A. S. Bole, has been chosen to membership of the following Committees: Interchurch World Movement, Civic Justice, Community Service and Ministry.

4. The Conference fiscal year is changed to the Calendar year in order to have contributions from the various churches paid by January first.

5. On resignation of Rev. R. A. Beardslee as reporter and receiver of Union Association Rev. F. C. Taylor has been elected to the office.

Interchurch and Congregational World Movements

As has been the case with the local churches, so with the Directors, a large part of their activities have centered in the Interchurch and Congregational World Movement. A resume of their work in this connection is due the Conference at this time.

The latter part of November a State Meeting of the Interchurch World Movement was held in Burlington. In substance the following resolutions were presented to that body from the Directors with the approval of the Congregational Group Meeting:

1. "That the Board favors a thorough participation of the Congregational Churches of Vermont in this proposed Forward Movement of the churches of our order in the United States.

2. That the Board, as the agent of these churches, put at the command of the Congregational World Movement and the Interchurch Movement the combined resources of our churches in the state so far as it is within its function to do so.

3. That this Board empower the Executive Committee to proceed at once to develop an organization that shall carry on the Congregational World Movement in the State."

The Executive Committee developed the following organization:

Director—Rev. C. C. Merrill

Field Representative—Rev. E. G. French

Special Treasurer—Mr. B. E. Bristol

Publicity—Rev. F. E. Davidson

Committee on Revision of Apportionments—Mr. H. D. Howe, Rev. C. C. Merrill, Mr. L. P. Smith, Mr. H. P. Dewey

State Advisory Committee of Interchurch World Movement—Mr. P. T. H. Pierson, Mrs. Mason S. Stone

Survey Committee—Rev. C. H. Merrill, D. D., Rev. C. C. Merrill, Rev. A. S. Bole

To meet the expenses of the campaign the Executive Committee was authorized to borrow not to exceed $5,000 with the understanding that the first money received shall be applied to the payment of the amount expended.

Finances

The following budget for the year 1920 is herewith presented:

National Council Dues (6c per member)	$1,395.00
Board of Pastoral Supply (1½c per member)	348.00
Printing, State Minutes	250.00
Other Printing	75.00
Directors and Committee Meetings	125.00
Treasurer's Expenses	20.00
Expenses of Annual Meeting	100.00
Salary and Expenses, Statistical Secretary	110.00
Interest	24.00
Margin to decrease borrowing in subsequent years	90.00
Total	$2,537.00

A per capita contribution of 11c would yield $2,545.18. This is 3c more than last year, and is necessary for the following reasons:

Extra Cost of Maintaining Council Work	1c
Payment by National Council of Delegates	1c
Extra Cost of Maintaining State Conference Work	1c

Recommendations

1. That a contribution of 11c per member be asked from the churches for the Conference year, the basis to be upon the total membership.

2. The Directors have established a clearing house for the handling of remittances from the Churches for the regular apportionment and for the Congregational World Movement

Emergency Fund with Mr. B. E. Bristol as State Treasurer of Benevolences. This is done with the understanding that the money shall be handled thru the State Headquarters, 83 Brooks Ave., Burlington, and that extra help be provided in the Secretary's office for this purpose.

The Directors ask the approval of the Conference in this matter.

3. The Chairman is authorized to prepare as a part of his report a definite recommendation for action by the Conference with reference to securing a law concerning the conservation of the property of extinct Congregational Churches.

It is therefore recommended that the Board of Directors be authorized to present to the State Legislature a Bill for an Act concerning the vesting of the title to rural property belonging to Congregational Churches, which are or shall become extinct, in the Vermont Congregational Conference.

4. The Directors present the nomination of Rev. Charles C. Merrill as Secretary of the Vermont Congregational Conference for the year 1920-21.

C. C. ADAMS, Chairman

B

SECRETARY'S REPORT

I am writing this report during the week of the World Movement Canvass and you will doubtless be reading it during the following week. I take it that neither of us has time for covering more than the main points in the Secretary's work during the past year. In summary, therefore, I may say that I was mainly engaged during the early period of the year in the search for pastors, that during November, December and January I was mainly engaged in the Interchurch World Movement and that during February, March and April I have been mainly engaged with the Congregational World Move-

ment. This does not mean of course, that I did not have a good deal else to do during these respective periods, it being understood that routine work went on somewhat as usual.

The Search for Pastors

In late July I inserted an advertisement in the "Congregationalist" for men who might want to come to Vermont, especially to take charge of churches that were alone in their communities. I received some thirty responses to this advertisement and it was the means of securing four pastors for our work. I did not of course, rely upon the advertisement alone. I did everything I knew to fill the twenty-three places that were vacant when I began. While not as much progress was made as one could wish, still the number of vacancies was largely reduced and there were not so many communities that preceding winters. I consider that this work of pastoral supply is quite the most important thing with which I am charged and there is no part of my work for which I so earnestly ask you to pray. To help a church to secure a pastor who will in a reasonable way measure up to the challenge for religious leadership in its community is the supreme thing one can do for that church and community.

The Interchurch World Movement

Previous to the initiation of the Interchurch Movement of North America we had what might properly be called a successful Interchurch Movement of our own in Vermont. Nevertheless, the National organization gave us additional momentum and led to the more fruitful carrying out of plans that had already been made. Of course the outstanding meeting held in the State during the year under the auspices of the Interchurch Movement was the Pastors' Conference at Burlington in the middle of November. Before that time I had attended the National Leaders' Training Conference at Atlantic City and had gotten something of an insight into what the Movement intended to do. It happened that our State Pas-

tors' Conference was the first which the Movement held and because we had already done a good deal of Interchurch work it has been possible to make the Interchurch Movement more of a force in the religious life of the state at an earlier stage than perhaps has been possible anywhere else. After giving a good deal of November to helping with the arrangements for the State Pastors' Conference of the Interchurch Movement, I spent the larger part of December in attending the County meetings. In January I went to the World Survey Conference of the Interchurch Movement. I have served as Secretary of the State Advisory Committee and also of its Executive Committee and had to spend a good deal of time in helping to shape the plans for the Movement in the State. I have considered that this was real work for Congregationalism as well as for the Kingdom. As I see it no future is possible for any body of Christians who in these days hesitate for a moment to cast in their lot with the rapidly uniting forces of Protestantism.

Congregational World Movement

Being a member of the National Commission on this Movement I have attended two meetings of that body, one in New York and one in Chicago. Very reluctantly I took the State Campaign Directorship of the Movement, partly because there did not seem to be anyone else available at the moment, and partly because I felt that it might aid materially in the entire plan which as the Executive Officer of the Board of Directors I was trying to carry through in the State during the years.

As the World Movement will be reported specifically I will only refer here to the aspects in which it seems to touch my regular work as Secretary. I am hoping that it will have proved worth while for me to have spent my time and strength in this Movement because of the new sense of responsibility and fellowship that the Movement may have created among the churches. I am also hoping that not a few laymen have

become interested in our work and that hereafter there will be available a larger number for the various kinds of state leadership for which we ought more and more to depend upon the laymen. The obtaining of the money has been urgent, indeed necessary. In connection with the obtaining of the money, however, I feel that the by-products have been even more indispensable. Indeed the whole plan of the Movement, which calls for a more resolute grappling all along the line with the fundamental task of the church is one of those imperative challenges from which no serious man can for a moment think of turning aside.

I cannot close this brief report without expressing my gratitude to the men and women throughout the State who during this year have aided me so fully and with such efficiency. I also feel grateful to the Board of Directors both as a body and as individuals for their splendid support and cooperation.

Respectfully submitted,

C. C. MERRILL
Secretary

COMMITTEE REPORTS

C
Interchurch Movement

To write any report on Interchurch Movement in its national development is beyond the scope of your Committee's report and fortunately it is unnecessary.

This Movement has become the leading religious phenomenon of our day. To what it shall grow depends only on our faith and charity and self-sacrifice. We can set no limits to the possibilities of this Movement. It may mean nothing less than the rebirth of Christianity in America and in the world. A new spirit has come into the church, a new courage

and a vaster outlook. With Jesus we are on the mountain-top surveying the kingdoms of this world. If we resist His temptations and face the world situation in His spirit, the cross is on the way to a new and amazing truimph.

We congratulate Vermont (1) as the first State to endorse the Movement as a State, (2) because of the splendid unanimity with which our churches accepted the Interchurch program,(3) because of the subordination of sect to Christ manifest in all the cooperating denominations, (4) because as a State in the midst of a Nation-wide plan we put into practical working the Interchurch economy of resources by unions or federations in following communities:

Milton—Congregational-Methodist
Colchester—Congregational-Baptist
W. Charleston—Congregational-Baptist
So. Hero and Grand Isle—Congregational-Methodist

This brings our number of federated churches up to 28 and with six other federations in which a Congregational church did not figure, gives the total of federated churches in Vermont as 34.

In name of Committee

Donald Fraser

D

Benevolence and Missionary Education

First of all we are more than glad to say that what we have been hoping for is now all but a reality. Figures gathered in for the year 1919 show that we raised over $47,000.00 which is fully 98% of our apportionment and a gain of 30% over last year. This we think proves conclusively the worth of "the Every Member Canvass," as worked out in our state-wide campaigns conducted for the last two years. In this connection it is a notable fact that the amounts raised were very much more evenly divided among the different societies than usual, which would seem to indicate a more general interest in our missionary program.

It is doubtless unnecessary to say that the above figures are the mere beginnings of greater things to follow. The real big thing on the horizon now is the Congregational World Movement as a part of the Interchurch World Movement, merged with the missionary societies in an endeavor to raise an emergency fund of three million dollars. Our part in this movement will be history by the time this report is read, but we can but feel that knowing the need, the churches of this state will not fail in their duty.

This committee would be selfish indeed, if it took credit for a very large share of the success we are able to report, as it is due in no small measure to the untiring efforts of the Rev. C. C. Merrill and his associates in their work about the state.

Respectfully submitted,

H. D. HOWE
MRS. W. J. VAN PATTEN
MRS. W. H. BUCKHAM
MR. J. H. BROOKS
REV. A. V. WOODWORTH
REV. G. E. LADD

Recruiting the Ministry

E

The Committee has attempted to reach some of the students of Dartmouth College by personal visits of Secretary Merrill and the Chairman of the Committee. The appeal the ministry makes to young men and the problems involved in recruiting had a prominent place on the program of the Convocation at Middlebury.

While a few of the churches report the encouraging word that young men in their parishes are considering the appeal of Christian service as a life work, these reports are too few to give much hope that our problem is even under way of solution. The need for ministers is as great today as last year, and something must be done to enlist the young men or many

churches will soon close their doors permanently for lack of leadership.

Signed
Fraser Metzger, Chairman

F

Civic Justice and Community Service

There has been during the year among our churches a very notable quickening of interest in Community Service. A large percentage of our churches have either done something or else manifested a desire to do something along this line. While it yet remains for some Vermont Congregational Church to demonstrate what is a practical and comprehensive community program for churches situated as ours are, we should not underrate what has already been done.

From more than a score of churches have come requests for information regarding moving pictures, Community-house plans, etc. To these requests your committee has responded to the best of its ability. It has had the privilege of helping the churches at Hartland, Wilder, Sharon, Middletown Springs, North Craftsbury and Eden to get started with moving pictures.

Recommendations (See Minutes pages 24-25)

G

Report of Committee on Evangelism

A study of the records of our churches reveals certain facts.

1. The only method of evangelism acceptable to the larger part of our churches is that of Pastoral and Personal Evangelism.

Whatever value there may be, if any, in other methods is not apparent to many Vermont Congregationalists.

2. The churches which believe in team work and join in the Lenten campaign are usually the only churches which do

much in evangelism. Whatever the reasons, however valid the objections, for not joining in the Lenten Campaign, with few exceptions our churches do not make any special effort at other seasons. The time has come to face very frankly this fact, on the part of those who object to a special effort in the Lenten season.

3. For the last three years over one-third of our churches each year report no additions, either on confession of faith or by letter. Many of these are among our smaller churches, often without pastors, but not all of them. One of our larger churches reports three additions on confession of faith three years ago, none since. Of the two-thirds of our churches reporting additions, one-half of these report such small additions as to indicate no definite, persistent program of evangelism.

4. Whatever the explanation the war produced an unfavorable atmosphere for evangelism. The year 1918 showed fewer additions to our churches than any year since 1913. Even with the special effort of last year we did not reach the normal number of additions, specially on confession of faith.

5. But the special effort of last year was more than worth while. Not only did these churches turn the tide of the years past, but these churches entering so heartily into the campaign of last year have continued their definite efforts this year. It is noteworthy that of the churches showing large gains last year, nearly every one reports splendid gains already in 1920. The churches which have formed the habit of evangelism rae the churches which are succeeding.

6. Last year the March, Easter and May additions were, By letter 263, on confession of faith 501, total 764. Seventy-three churches have reported additions for March, April and May, 1920, as follows: By letter 273, on confession of faith 561, total 834. In spite of the unfavorable winter, and the stress of other things, our churches reporting to date have done decidedly better than in the Lenten Campaign of 1919, when evangelism was the one thing before us.

7. Evidently the greatest problem before us is to develop,

or if need be create, in every one of our churches a vital belief in evangelism such as now possesses one-third to one-half of the churches. When all our churches do what part are already doing, we shall no longer have to face an actual loss in membershp, as last year.

8. In the opinion of your committee, the work of the Interchurch and Congregational World Movements has turned the thought of men to the program of the church more than for many years past. Men are thinking in terms of the church as they were not even a year ago.

This offers a special opportunity to the alert church to reach many, so largely indifferent before.

We suggest to our Board of Directors, that, using the experience and results of these last years, a program of evangelism be worked out for this next year which shall enlist every Congregational Church in Vermont in a definite, persistent effort to reach every person in our constituency.

E. P. TREAT, Chairman

ALPHABETICAL LIST OF MINISTERS

This should include all ordained Congregational ministers serving any of the churches in the state, and all others whose standing is with a Vermont Association. No others are included in this list, and no others will be reported for insertion in the alphabetical list of ministers in the Year-Book. Any errors should be reported to the Statistical Secretary.

Following this is a similar list of licentiates, and a list of ministers of other denominations supplying our churches.

These lists will not be found to agree with those in the tabular Statistics of the Churches, because the latter are printed from the plates of the Year-Book and have been corrected only to May 15, while the lists that follow have been brought up to the date of printing.

ASS'N	NAME	ADDRESS	ORDINATION DATE	RELATION
Ca.	Adams, Chauncey A.,	Danville,	Sept. 12, 1911,	P.
Ch.	Adams, Chauncey C.,	Burlington,	Sept. 6, 1900,	P. I.
R.	Adams, George I.,	Meadville, Pa.,	Dec. 28. 1896,	Tea.
G. O.	Alexander, J. Lambert	Cowansville, Que.,	July, 1897,	P.
Wm.	Atwood, Charles B.,	Georgetown, Mass.,	Sept. 28, 1876,	W. C.
Wa.	Aylmore, Fred G.,	Warren,	1908,	W. C.
L.	Bacon, Miles E.,	Brooking, S. D.,	Dec. 29, 1880,	W. C.
E.	Bacon, William A.,	Littleton, N. H.,	Oct. 1, 1905,	P.
R.	Ball, Robert H.,	Fair Haven.	Sept. 18, 1889,	P.
U.	Ballou, Earle H.,	Tientsin, China,	June 29, 1916,	Miss.
U.	Ballou, Henry L.,	Chester,	Sept. 17, 1895,	W. C.
U.	Ballou, William J.,	Chester,	Dec. 17, 1906,	P.
	Barker, Herbert A.,	Randolph Center,	June 18, 1903,	P.
Ca.	Barnard, Henry T.,	New York, N. Y.,	Nov. 2, 1880,	W. C.
Ch.	Barnes, Stephen G.,	Burlington,	Apr. 25, 1881,	Prof.
Wa.	Barnett, John W.,	Needham, Mass.	Aug. 20, 1896,	Y.M.C.A.
A.	Barnum, Samuel H.,	Middlebury, R. F. D. 1,	Apr. 25, 1883,	P.
	Bartlett, Hollis M.,	Jeffersonville,	June 19, 1912,	P.
G. O.	Bates, Francis W.,	Thetford,	May 28, 1887,	P.
U.	Beardslee, Raymond A.,		Apr. 20, 1910,	W. C.
Wm.	Bissell, William F.,	West Townshend,	Dec. 30, 1902,	P.
Ca.	Bliss, Charles B.,	McIndoe Falls,	Oct. 9, 1903,	P.
Wa.	Blomfield, Frank,	Montpelier, R. F. D. 4.,	Jan. 25, 1887,	P.
Wa.	Boicourt, William L.,		Sept. 2, 1906,	Y.M.C.A.
Ca.	Bole, Andrew S.,	Hardwick,	Oct. 4, 1895,	P. at L.
Wm.	Bosworth, Richard H.,	Townshend,	Mar. 12, 1882,	P.
R.	Bradford, Walter P.,	Bristol, Me.,	Dec. 8, 1915.	P.
F.	Brotherston, Arthur,	Franklin,	Sept. 1, 1915,	P
F.	Burn, Richard A.,	Enosburg Falls, R. F.D. 2	June 10, 1920,	P.
R.	Buttrick, George A.,	Rutland	Sept. 12, 1893,	P.
R.	Carlson, Thomas A.	West Rutland,	Nov. 26, 1915,	P. I.
Ol.	Carroll, Walter C.,	North Ferrisburg,	Sept. 23, 1919,	P.
Ch.	Cashmore, William,	Jericho,	Apr. 24, 1898,	P.
Wr.	Champlin, Frederick R.,	West Hartford,	June 29, 1905,	P.
Wm.	Chapin, George F.,	Saxton's River,	Apr. 15, 1866,	W. C.
	Chase, Bernard L.,	Whiting,	Nov. 9, 1911,	P.
Wr.	Chase, Leland G.,	Wilder,	June 9. 1919,	P.
Wr.	Claris Charles C.,	Quechee,	May 24, 1902,	P.
	Clark, James S.,	Brookfield,	July 29, 1904,	P.
Ca.	Clark, Robert,	Lyndon,	June 18, 1907,	P.
Wm.	Clark, William C.,	Wilmington,	Oct. 20, 1891,	P.

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	Clarke, Clement G.,	Springfield,	1900,	P.
Wm.	Cornell, Alfred,	West Townshend,	Sept. 6, 1911,	W. C.
B.	Crathern, C. F. Hill,		Sept. 1, 1886,	Y.M.C.A.
G. O.	Crewe, A. Reginald,		Jan. 1, 1910,	
L.	Cummings, Herbert W.,	Stowe,	Sept. 17, 1899,	W. C.
F.	Cummings, Stanley,	St. Albans,	June 2, 1916,	P.
Wm.	Curtis, Walter R.,	Westminster West,	June 25, 1884,	P.
	Cutler, Elisha P.,	East Corinth,	Oct. 18, 1916,	P.
U.	Davies, Thomas D.,	South Londonderry,	Mar. 16, 1892,	W. C.
L.	Davis, Lemuel,	Accord, N. Y.,	May 17, 1897,	W. C.
Ol.	Davison, Frank E.,	Derby,	June 3, 1874,	P.
F.	Day, F. Wilson,	Swanton,	Oct. 2, 1903,	P.
Ol.	Dickey, Fred M.,	Washington, D. C.,	Jan. 9, 1891,	W. C.
A.	Dickinson, Charles H.,	Calboun, Ala.,	Dec. 17, 1885,	W. C.
	Dixon, Herbert,	Norwich,	June 30, 1916,	P.
Og.	Dunton, A. Lincoln,	Tiskilwa, Ill.,	Jan. 27, 1897,	P.
Wr.	Echterbecker, Charles F.,	New York, N. Y.,	Nov. 20, 1907,	
Ol.	Edwards, Leland A.,	Newport,	May 13, 1902,	P. I.
Wr.	Eldridge, Ernest W.,	Peterboro, N. H.,	Apr. 23, 1893,	P.
U.	Evans, William W.,	Tamworth, N. H.,	June 21, 1916,	P.
Ch.	Fay, Rollins B.,	Essex,	Sept. 13, 1883,	W. C.
	Fellowes, Edward C.,	Hartland,	Oct. 1, 1891,	P.
Ca.	Fisher, Albert V.,	McIndoe Falls,	Sept. 27, 1906,	W. C.
	Fisk, Pliny H.,	Strafford,	Mar. 10, 1885,	P.
Wa.	Fiske, Elisha S.,	Montpelier,	Oct. 22, 1884,	W. C.
Ol.	Flagg, Rufus C.,	West Ashland, Wis.,	Sept. 26, 1872,	Tea.
R.	Fooks, Stephen C.,		Nov. 19, 1915,	W. C.
G. O.	Fraser, Donald,	Wells River,	Mar. 18, 1893,	P.
A.	Frazier, William F.,	Vergennes,	Apr. 16, 1911,	P.
	Freedlund, A. J.,	Proctor,	Nov. 12, 1899,	P.
Ca.	French, Edward G.,	Johnson,	Sept. 20, 1892,	W. C.
Wa.	Furness, George A.,	Marshfield,	May 5, 1898,	P.
B.	Gilbert, George H.,	Dorset,	July 14, 1886,	W. C.
Wr.	Gill, Charles O.,	Hartland,	July 25, 1894,	W. C.
L.	Goodliffe, George E.,	Morrisville,	June 22, 1915,	P.
Wa.	Goodspeed, Frank L.,	Barre,	June 29, 1887,	P.
Ca.	Gordon, Edwin R.,	Greensboro,	Oct. 7, 1910,	P.
Ca.	Grant, Edwin E.,	St Johnsbury East,	July 29, 1898,	P.
Ca.	Gregg, Arthur E.,	Barnet,	Sept. 26, 1907,	P.
A.	Gulick, Hervey,	Bridport,	Nov. 5, 1879,	P.
Wa.	Hale, Morton W.,	Cabot,	Oct. 6, 1903,	P.
Ol.	Hall, Thomas,	Bar Harbor, Me.,	July 28, 1866,	P. Em.
Ol.	Hamilton, Rollo A.,	Orleans,	Aug. 28, 1908,	P.
	Hamlin, Christopher R.,	Middlebury, R. F. D. 2,	Oct. 22, 1899,	P.
B.	Hamlin, William R.,	North Bennington,	Oct. 26, 1905,	P.
L.	Hardy, Vitellus M.,	Morrisville,	Jan. 31, 1872,	W. C.
L.	Harned, Harry E.,	Cedar Rapids, Iowa,	Nov. 6, 1907,	P.
L.	Hatch, Charles A.,	Concord, Mass.,	June 7, 1912,	Tea.
B.	Haven, W. LeRoy,	Dorset,	Jan. 21, 1913,	P.
Wa.	Hayes, Edward C.,	Waterbury,	Feb. 26, 1903,	P.
Ch.	Hayward, Charles E.,	North Troy,	Aug. 3, 1895,	P.
L.	Hazen, Frank W.,	Johnson,	Sept. 22, 1897,	P.
Ch.	Hazen, William,	Bombay, India,	Sept. 23, 1897,	Miss.
Ch.	Hemenway, Frank W.,	Brooklyn, N. Y,	Sept. 1889,	Sec.
Ch.	Herrick, Edward E.,	Milton,	Feb. 24, 1864,	W. C.
A.	Hilliard, D. Lee,	Erving, Mass.,	Sept. 11, 1889,	P.
Ca.	Hinman, Herbert J.,	Lyndonville,	Aug. 18, 1897,	P.
B.	Hitchcock, Charles E.,	Cuyahoga Falls, O.,	Apr. 11, 1888,	W. C.
	Hoag, Albert B.,	South Hero,	Oct. 31, 1917,	P.
R.	Houghton, Ola R.,	Wallingford,	June 3, 1909,	P.
L.	Howard, Henry C.,	Jeffersonville,	Oct. 29, 1873,	W. C.
Ol.	Hutchinson, James J.,	Barton,	Apr. 20, 1906,	P.
L.	Hyde, Frank B.,	Newfane,	May 26, 1896,	P.
Ca.	Irons, John,	East Hardwick,	Nov. 1, 1898,	P.
A.	Isaacs, L. Myrven,	Collbran, Colo.,	Nov. 4, 1913,	P.
G. O.	Ives, Henry S.,	Newbury,	Oct. 26, 1886,	P.
F.	Jackson, W. Parkyn,		May 15, 1895,	
F.	Kent, Evarts,	Grafton, Mass.,	May 23, 1871,	P. Em.
B.	King, J. Duke,	Rupert,	Aug. 20, 1901,	P.

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R.	Kingsbury, John H.,	Bardizag, Turkey,	Dec. 20, 1917,	Miss.
Wr.	Ladd, George E.,	West Woodstock,	June 3, 1897,	W. C.
Wm.	Lamb, Henry,		Apr. 19, 1905,	W. C.
Og.	Lawrence, John A.,	Chelsea,	July 10, 1894,	P.
Ol.	Lawton, Robert,	Island Pond,	May 5, 1895,	P.
Og.	Locke, J. Frank,	Vineland, N. J.,	Sept. 18, 1875,	W. C.
A.	Long, J. Hall,		June 24, 1903,	W. C.
Wa.	Lord, Amos J.,	Amherst, Mass.,	July 8, 1915	P.
Wr.	Lucas, Burton A.,	Windsor,	Sept. 15, 1897,	P.
B.	Lyon, Clarence C.,	Peru,	Dec. 17, 1890,	P
Wr.	McClure, Robert W.,	Shaowu, China,	Sept. 19, 1914,	Miss.
A.	Macfarlane, William G.,	Westfield,	Sept. 2, 1913,	P.
R.	McIntire, William A.,	Danby,	Nov. 20, 1907,	P. I.
R.	McLeod, Robert G.,	Castleton,	June 14, 1905,	P.
G. O.	McNeill William J.	West Newbury,	Apr. 30, 1905,	P.
Ch.	Malzard, Francis J.,	Jericho Center,	Oct. 15 1917,	P
F.	Mayhew, Wilmot M.,	St Albans,	June 23, 1875,	W. C.
L.	Mercer, Arthur,	Hyde Park,	Dec. 15, 1901,	P.
Ch.	Merrill, Charles C.,	Burlington,	Oct. 12, 1897,	Sec.
Ca.	Merrill, Charles H.,	St. Johnsbury,	Nov. 8, 1870,	Sec.
U.	Metcalf, Leslie H.,	Windham,	June 9, 1898,	P.
Og.	Metzger, Fraser,	Randolph,	June 9, 1895,	P. I.
Ol.	Millar, William,	Essex Junction,	Dec. 11, 1907,	P.
B.	Mills, George S.,	Bennington,	July 24, 1895,	P. I.
Wm.	Mock, Charles W.,	Cotuit, Mass.,	July 16, 1914,	P.
Ca.	Morse, Charles H.,	St. Johnsbury,	Oct. 9, 1884,	W. C.
Wr.	Moseley, John H.,	South Royalton,	June 3, 1909,	P
A.	Newell, Henry C.,	Middlebury	Oct. 15, 1908,	P.
R.	Owen, John D.,	Fair Haven,	Oct. 10, 1915,	P. I.
Wr.	Partridge, Charles F.,	Woodstock,	Aug. 20, 1890,	W. C.
Wr.	Penney. Hugh,	Sharon,	June 12, 1919,	P.
B.	Perkins, Sidney K.,	Manchester,	July 20 1880,	P. I.
Ca.	Perrin, J. Newton, Jr.,	St. Johnsbury East,	Sept. 20, 1892,	P
	Peterson, Anders O.,	Brattleboro,	Oct. 20, 1895,	P
Ol.	Peterson, Carl J.,	North Craftsbury,	Sept. 26, 1893,	P.
Wa.	Pinney, Ira E.,	Ludlow,	Aug. 30, 1904,	W. C.
Wm.	Poelman, Theodore J.,	Maplewood, Mass.,	Oct. 11, 1916,	W. C.
Ca.	Poole, Francis A.,	St. Johnsbury,	July 12, 1893,	P. I.
U.	Preston Thomas D.,	Middle Haddam, Conn.,	July 23, 1915,	W. C.
F.	Price, William R.,	East Berkshire,	Jan. 23, 1914,	P.
Wm.	Prince, John C.,	Bellows Falls,	Apr. 3, 1911,	P
Wa.	Ramage, James,	Barre.	Oct. 28, 1885,	P.
L.	Rand, Wilbur,	East Calais,	May 8, 1883,	P.
B.	Ravi-Booth, Vincent,	Bennington,	Apr. 9, 1905,	P.
Wa.	Remele, William A.,	Waitsfield,	Sept. 28, 1894,	P
	Rice, E. LeRoy,	Derby Line,	1910,	P.
Ca.	Richards, Frederick B.,	St. Johnsbury,	Dec. 20, 1891,	P. I.
Wr.	Robbins Edward E.,	Rochester,	Mar. 20, 1898,	P
	Root, Theophilus H.,	Westmore,	Sept. 9, 1892,	P.
Ol.	Rose, Edwin,		Feb. 2, 1874,	W. C.
F.	Ross, Arthur B.,	East Fairfield,	May, 1899,	P.
A.	Ross, Thomas M.,		July 9, 1912,	
Ch.	Rutan, Frederick N.,	Charlotte,	Oct. 16, 1887,	P.
Wa.	St. John, Charles N.,	Montpelier,	June 13, 1912,	P. I.
G. O.	Sargent, Arthur H.,	Post Mills,	Mar. 29, 1910,	P.
Wa.	Sargent, James B.,	Northfield,	Sept. 15, 1897,	P. I.
Wm.	Shaw, Henry H.,	Marlboro,	June 20, 1895,	P.
A.	Simmons, R. Barclay,	Shoreham,	Jan. 26, 1915,	P.
G. O.	Slade, William,	Atlanta, Ga.,	Sept. 18, 1888,	
Ch.	Smart, I. Chipman,	Burlington,	June 9, 1885,	P. I.
Ch.	Smith, Clifford H.,	Ludlow,	Aug. 22, 1882,	P
Wa.	Sparhawk, Willis T.,	Randolph,	June 29, 1900,	W. C.
	Stacy, Frank L.,	Eden Mills,	Oct. 22, 1915,	P. R.
R.	Strong, David H.,	Benson,	June 16, 1885,	P.
	Taylor, Frederick C.,	Londonderry,	Dec. 10, 1891,	P
Og.	Taylor, William	East Providence, R. I.,	June 5, 1908,	P.
Ch.	Thomas, Evan,	Burlington,	Aug. 29, 1883,	Prof.
A.	Thomas, John M.,	Middlebury,	June 9, 1893,	Pres.

ASS'N	NAME	ADDRESS	ORDINATION DATE	RELATION
Ol.	Thomson, Robert,	Samokov, Bulgaria,	May 18, 1881,	Miss.
R.	Thorpe, Walter,	Brandon,	Apr. 14, 1903,	P.
Og.	Tracy, Charles K.,	Auburndale, Mass.,	May 27, 1904,	W. C.
R.	Treat, Edward P.,	Pittsford,	Aug. 30, 1900,	P. I.
Og.	Tupper, Leland E.,	Post Mills,	Feb. 23, 1887,	W. C.
Ca.	Tupper, Miles G.,	St. Johnsbury Center,	Sept. 10, 1903,	P.
E.	Vance, John G.,	Union, N. H.,	June 19, 1890,	P.
U.	Vincent, Samuel L.,	Townshend,	Oct. 23, 1878,	W. C.
F.	Vradenburg, Edgar S.,	Schenectady, N. Y.,	Feb. 7, 1906,	
	Walsh, Charles E.,	Williamstown,	Sept. 2, 1909,	P
Ca.	Ward, Hiram Q.,	Zephyr Hills, Fla.,	June 30, 1887,	W. C.
Ol.	Warner, Wilmond A.,	Peacham,	Oct. 19, 1887,	P.
Ca.	Wattie, Charles,	Hardwick,	July 2, 1896,	P.
Wm.	Whitman, Newell W.,	Uxbridge, Mass.,	May 28, 1896,	P.
Wm.	Wild, Edward W.,	Westminster,	Oct. 27, 1914,	P. I.
Wr.	Wild, Levi,	Gaysville,	May 3, 1893,	P.
A.	Williams, J. Christopher,	Dennis, Mass.,	Feb. 4, 1891,	W. C.
B.	Winch, Mabel T.,	East Arlington,	Sept. 30, 1914,	P.
Wm.	Wiswall, Fred M.,	Newfane,	Apr. 30, 1890,	W. C.
Wm.	Woodin Herbert P.,	Brattleboro,	June 23, 1892,	P. I.
Wm.	Woodworth, Arthur V.	West Brattleboro,	Jan. 14, 1901,	P.
A.	Young, E. Vernon,	New Haven,	June 21, 1914,	P.

LICENTIATES

	Beyer, Richard F.,	North Pomfret,	S.
A.	Brainerd, Ezra,	Middlebury,	Pres. Em.
G. O.	Carvell, Clinton W.,	Fairlee,	S.
A.	Collins, Edwin D.,	Middlebury,	Prof.
G. O.	Dierlamm, George H.,	Vershire,	S.
Ch.	Emerson, Samuel F.,	Burlington,	Prof.
Ca.	Fitt Arthur P.,	Annisquam Park, N. J.,	
A.	Hendry, Guy C.,	Mount Holly, N. J.,	Y. M. C. A.
Ol.	Southard, C. Eugene,	Coventry,	S.
Wa.	Woodbury, Carl V.,	Northfield,	Prof.
G. O.	Worcester, George S.,	Thetford,	
	Wright, Frank C.,	Roxbury,	S.

MINISTERS OF OTHER DENOMINATIONS

Supplying Congregational Churches

Bennett, Charles H.,	M. E.	Hinesburg
Congdon, George E.,	Bapt.	Grafton
Corliss, C. L.,	M. E.	Pawlet
Crippen, John W.,	Bapt.	Putney
Douglass, Glenn W.,	M. E.	Lunenburg
Gould, Walter H.,	M. E.	Cambridge
Green, Arthur J.,	M. E.	South Wardsboro
Hagadorn, F. M.,	M. E.	Bristol
Hall, Josiah,	M. E.	Duxbury
Johnson, William C.,	M. E.	West Charleston
Kelton, Herbert L.,	M. E.	Middletown Springs
Mitchell, James C.,	M. E.	Tunbridge
Nye, Elmer I.	Bapt.	Hubbardton
O'Dell, Reuben S.,	Bapt.	North Pownal
Reid, David W.,	M. E.	Salisbury
Richardson, H. H.,	M. E.	Williston
Sprague, L. Huntley,	Bapt.	Jamaica
Stevens, Elmer H.,	Bapt.	Simonsville
Suitor, S. G.,	M. E.	East Burke
Talbee, Frank E.,	M. E.	Milton
Way, J. Harold G.,	M. E.	Alburg
Westcott, George C.,	M. E.	Essex
White, W. W.,	Bapt.	Westford

Vermont Domestic Missionary Society

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Officers of Vermont Domestic Missionary Society

President—GEN. NATHAN G. WILLIAMS.
Vice-President—REV. L. A. EDWARDS.
Secretary—REV. CHARLES H. MERRILL.
Associate Secretary—REV. CHARLES C. MERRILL.
Treasurer—JOHN T. RITCHIE.
Assistant Treasurer—CHARLES H. NEWELL.
Auditor—JOHN C. CLARK.

Office, St. Johnsbury, Vt.

Directors

At-Large—Gen. N. G. Williams, Bellows Falls; Rev. Edward G. French, Johnson; Mrs. M. H. Buckham, Burlington; Mrs. W. J. Van Patten, Burlington; Hon. Charles I. Button, Middlebury; Rev. Stanley Cummings, St. Albans; Jonas H. Brooks, St. Johnsbury.

Term expires 1921—P. T. H. Pierson, Bennington; John E. Tinker, Danville; H. D. Howe, Burlington; March M. Wilson, Randolph; Rev. F. W. Day, Swanton; Rev. R. A. Hamilton, Orleans; Rev. George E. Ladd, West Woodstock.

Term expires 1922—Rev. William F. Frazier, Vergennes; Rev. Donald Fraser, Wells River; Carlton D. Howe, Morrisville; Rev. William A. McIntire, Danby; Rev. William J. Ballou, Chester; H. Gordon Woodruff, Montpelier; Rev. Herbert P. Woodin, Brattleboro.

Executive Committee

Hon. Charles I. Button, Mrs. M. H. Buckham, Rev. William A. McIntire, Harry D. Howe, Rev. Stanley Cummings.

Finance Committee

John T. Ritchie, Jonas H. Brooks, John E. Tinker, Rev. Charles H. Merrill.

Members of C. H. M. S.

For one year—Rev. C. H. Merrill, St. Johnsbury; Gen. Nathan G. Williams, Bellows Falls; Rev. Edward G. French, Johnson.

For two years—Rev. C. H. Smith, Ludlow; Prof. C. B. Wright, Middlebury.

For three years—Geo. L. Dunham, Brattleboro; Rev. Henry C. Newell, Middlebury.

ACT OF INCORPORATION

It is hereby enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Vermont:

Section 1. James W. Hickok, Joshua Leavitt, William H. Lord, Theaddeus Fairbanks, J. G. Stimson, and Charles S. Smith, with their associates, being members of the Vermont Domestic Missionary Society, a Society heretofore existing and organized for the purpose of aiding Congregational Churches and communities in the State, in need of assistance in sustaining the preaching of the Gospel, are hereby created as a body politic and corporate, by the name of the Vermont Domestic Missionary Society, with all the usual appropriate corporate rights and privileges, and with full power to acquire, hold and convey personal and real property, and to use the same in promoting and securing the aforesaid objects and purposes of their corporation.

Section 2. All doings of said Society, while heretofore existing, all gifts, grants, bequests, and donations made to it, and all grants, appropriations, and conveyances made by the said Society are hereby confirmed and made valid.

Section 3. Any two of the corporators aforesaid may call the first meeting of said corporation by giving notice thereof in some weekly paper published in said State, three weeks before the day of said meeting.

Section 4. This act shall take effect from its passage.

Passed, October 25, 1872.

LEGACIES TO THE V. D. M. SOCIETY

Form of a Bequest

I bequeath to my executors the sum of.....dollars in trust, to pay over the same to the Treasurer of the Vermont Domestic Missionary Society, incorporated in October, 1872, to be applied to the charitable uses and purposes of said Society.

CONSTITUTION

NAME

Article I. This Society shall be known by the name of the Vermont Domestic Missionary Society.

MEMBERSHIP

Article II. Any person may at his request, become a Member for Life of the Society, who shall at one time pay twenty dollars or more into the treasury. The membership of the Society shall consist of Life Members made previous to 1905, and the members of the Congregational Conference of Vermont annually meeting with the Society. All such members shall be entitled to vote.

OBJECTS

Article III. The object of this Society shall be to supply the destitute towns of the State with the preached Gospel, by the labors of missionaries, and to aid the Congregational Home Missionary Society.

OFFICERS

Article IV. The officers of this Society shall be a President, Vice-President, Treasurer, Secretary, Auditor and Board of Directors. (1) The President, Vice-President and Auditor shall be elected annually by the Society. (2) The Secretary and Treasurer shall be elected annually by the Directors. (3) The Board of Directors shall consist of not more than 21 members, including ex-officiis members. In the choice of Directors the Rules governing the election of Directors of the Vermont Congregational Conference shall be followed. (4) There shall

be a Nominating Committee of three members, and this committee shall present as its first nominees for the Board of Directors of the Society the persons elected to the Board of Directors of the State Conference. (5) An Associate Secretary, an Assistant Treasurer, and an additional Auditor may be appointed by the Board of Directors. (6) Vacancies in any office, Board, or Committee may be filled by the Board of Directors for any unexpired term.

DUTIES OF THE PRESIDENT

Article V. It shall be the duty of the President, or, in his absence, of the Vice-President, to preside at all meetings of the Society, and of the Board of Directors.

DUTIES OF DIRECTORS

Article VI. It shall be the duty of the Directors, nine of whom shall constitute a quorum, to act upon applications coming from Churches asking for aid; make appropriations of money; fill temporarily any vacancies occasioned by the death or resignation of the Secretary, Treasurer, or Auditor; appoint a Finance Committee, and to have a general superintendence of all the Society's affairs and make, through the Secretary, a report of their doings at each annual meeting.

There shall be an Executive Committee of five chosen by the Board of Directors and this Executive Committee shall have full power to act for the Directors on all matters that may come before them, when the Directors are not in session.

DUTIES OF SECRETARY

Article VII. The Secretary or Secretaries shall take charge of the books and correspondence of the Society and of the Directors; keep a true record of their doings, and call meetings of the Society, Directors, and Executive Committee.

They shall secure, as far as possible, collections and donations from Churches and individuals; visit destitute communities to ascertain their needs; direct itinerant missionaries to their fields; draw orders upon the Treasurer for all moneys appropriated by the Directors or Executive Committee, and make an annual report to the Society of the doings of the Directors, and the condition of the missionary work.

DUTIES OF TREASURER

Article VIII. It shall be the duty of the Treasurer to receive and hold the property of the Society; take care of and invest the permanent funds, under the advice of a Finance Committee appointed by the Directors; lease or convey by deed, real estate belonging to the Society, when so ordered by the Directors or Executive Committee; and exhibit at the annual meeting an audited account of the condition of the treasury, make a statement of the amount of permanent funds, and how they are invested. He shall hold his books open for inspection when requested by any member of the Society, and shall give bonds when required by the Executive Committee.

DUTIES OF AUDITOR

Article IX. The Auditor shall carefully audit the Treasurer's book every year, before the annual meeting of the Society, and report also on the amount of the permanent funds, and the form of their investment.

MEETINGS OF THE SOCIETY

Article X. There shall be an annual meeting of this Society, for the election of officers and the transaction of any necessary business, on the Wednesday succeeding the second or third Tuesday in May, at an hour designated by the Directors, at the same place where the Congregational Conference of Vermont holds its annual meeting. Two several notices shall be given by the Secretary of the time and place of holding this meeting in some newspaper generally circulated in this State.

The statistical year of the Society for Directors' Report and Treasurer's Report shall close January 1st.

MEETINGS OF DIRECTORS

The Directors shall hold an annual meeting on the same day of the annual meeting of the Society, at such time as the Secretary shall give notice to the Directors, personally or by public notice at the annual meeting of the Society. At that meeting they shall nominate a man from the State to serve on the Board of Directors of the Congregational Home Missionary Society, in conformity with the rules of that organization. At least one other meeting shall be held during each year. A meeting may be called at any other time upon the written request of seven members.

MEETINGS OF EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

The Executive Committee shall hold meetings at such time and places as they may appoint, and whenever the Secretary may call them together; and they shall have power to call meetings of the Society or Directors, in case of the death, resignation or absence of the Secretary.

REPRESENTATION IN NATIONAL SOCIETY

Article XI. At the annual meeting members of the Congregational Home Missionary Society shall be elected. At the first election three members shall be chosen to serve three years, two members to serve two years and two members to ted to fill vacancies of expiring terms and terms of members removed.

CHANGE OF CONSTITUTION

Article XII. The object of this Society shall not be changed, but this Constitution may be altered or amended, on a proposal of the Directors, at any annual meeting, by a vote of two-thirds of the members present.

Rules Adopted By The Directors

Rule 1. Churches asking for aid must first subscribe one hundred per cent on their Grand List, unless in very exceptional cases.

Rule 2. No Church in debt for past ministerial services shall receive aid.

Rule 3. Appropriations shall not be made for a longer period than twelve months, and shall not, except in special cases, date back of the time of application.

Rule 4. A contribution for Home Missions is required from every aided Church each year. It is expected that contributions will also be taken by each aided Church for other leading objects of Christian Benevolence.

Rule 5. Applications shall be signed by a committee of the Church asking aid. They shall also be endorsed by the Association of Ministers, or County Conference, within whose bounds they reside, or by a committee of these bodies.

Rule 6. Every application must contain answers to the following questions, viz:

(1) Is the application made by vote of the Church?

(2) The name of your Minister is

(3) Is he ordained?

(4) Of what local Congregational Church is he a member?

(5) Does he devote his whole time to the ministry?

(6) Is he to reside in your parish?

(7) What is the whole amount of your salary you are to pay?

(8) Have you any parsonage? Is it included in the above amount?

(9) What is the number of members in the Church?

(10) Of these, how many are males?

(11) What is the usual attendance at public worship?

(12) What is the entire Grand List of the Church?

(13) How much have the members of the Church subscribed for preaching?

(14) How much have persons not members subscribed?

(15) Have you a fund? If so, how large?

(16) What aid is expected from other sources?

(17) What is the least amount of aid with which you can support preaching?

(18) Is your Church in debt for past ministerial services? If so, how much and to whom?

(19) From what date is aid asked?

Rule 7. On the expiration of an appropriation if aid is still needed, a new application must be made, containing an answer to all the above questions.

Rule 8. All missionaries, when required, shall furnish satisfactory testimonials of Church and ministerial standing.

Rule 9. A statistical report shall be made by each missionary before the first of January of each year, and when he leaves his field, if it is before the close of the Society's year.

Rule 10. Missionaries shall not be entitled to receive payments from this Society till they have made a written report to the Secretary of their services for the period for which such payments is due. Those who may wish quarterly payments must make quarterly reports, monthly payments, monthly reports.

Rule 11. Missionaries must reside with the people to whom they preach. If they serve two or more Churches, they must live with one of them.

Rule 12. The Secretary shall engage itinerant laborers, as they may be needed for destitute fields.

Churches receiving aid are requested to arrange, as far as practicable, their contracts with their ministers so that their year may commence with the first of January, in order that all applications for the renewal of grants may be made before the annual meeting.

Any Church wishing to apply for aid should send to the Secretary for a blank form of application.

ANNUAL MEETING

The 102nd annual meeting of the Vermont Domestic Missionary Society was held in the Center Congregational Church at Brattleboro May 12, 1920, and was called to order by President Nathan G. Williams at 10.05 A. M., in accordance with notices duly published in the Vermont Missionary and the Burlington Free Press.

Prayer was offered by Rev. M. W. Hale of Cabot.

The President nominated and the Society elected the following Nominating Committee: Rev. Henry L. Ballou, Rev. Chauncey C. Adams, John R. Aiken.

The report of the Treasurer was presented by the Assistant Treasurer, Charles H. Newell, and together with the Auditor's Certificate was accepted.

The report of the Directors was presented by the Secretary, Rev. Charles H. Merrill, and was accepted.

The Nominating Committee reported through Chairman Rev. Henry L. Ballou the following list of officers:

President, Gen. Nathan G. Williams; Vice-President, Rev. L. A. Edwards; Directors-at-Large, Gen. Nathan G. Williams, Bellows Falls; Rev. Edward G. French, Johnson; Mrs. M. H. Buckham, Burlington; Mrs. W. J. Van Patten, Burlington; Charles I. Button, Middlebury; Rev. Stanley Cummings, St. Albans; Jonas H. Brooks, St. Johnsbury.

Representing Associations, Term expires in 1922—Addison, Rev. William F. Frazier, Vergennes; Grafton-Orange, Rev. Donald Fraser, Wells River; Lamoille, Carlton D. Howe, Morrisville; Rutland, Rev. William A. McIntire, Danby; Union, Rev. William J. Ballou, Chester; Washington, H. Gordon Woodruff, Montpelier; Windham, Rev. Herbert P. Woodin, D. D., Brattleboro.

The report was accepted and adopted.

Addresses were made as follows:

"A Winter in Eden," Rev. Frank L. Stacy; "Ventures in Vershire," Rev. George H. Dierlamm; "Boy Scouting in Hart-

land," Rev. Edward C. Fellowes; "Pastoral Calling in Simonsville," Rev. Elmer H. Stevens; "A Winsome Message and a Winning Program," Pastor-at-Large, A. S. Bole; "The Obligations of Victory," Assistant Secretary Charles C. Merrill.

After notice that the Directors would meet at the close of the evening session of the Conference, the Society adjourned with prayer.

CHARLES C. MERRILL, Associate Secretary

The Board of Directors met according to notice at the close of the evening session of Conference May 12th, 1920, and elected the following officers and committees:

Secretary, Rev. Charles H. Merrill; Associate Secretary, Rev. Charles C. Merrill; Treasurer, John T. Ritchie; Assistant Treasurer, Charles H. Newell; Auditor, John C. Clark; Executive Committee, Hon. Charles I. Button, Mrs. M. H. Buckham, Rev. William A. McIntire, Harry D. Howe, Rev. Stanley Cummings; Finance Committee, John T. Ritchie, Jonas H. Brooks, John E. Tinker, Rev. C. H. Merrill.

CHARLES C. MERRILL, Associate Secretary

DIRECTORS' REPORT

It is customary to begin this report with a brief memorial of those who have passed away in the service of the Society during the year. It is a cause for deep thanksgiving that during the period under present reveiw, there has not been one break in our ranks.

CHANGE IN FISCAL YEAR

The Society voted at its last Annual Meeting to change its fiscal year to conform to the calendar year. Hence the present report is only for nine months i. e., from April 1 to December 31, 1919. It is possible therefore to make no worthwhile comparisons with the preceding year either as to finances or as to statistics of work. With regard to finances a suggestive comparison can be made between the actual expenditures and what was estimated in the budget that was made out for the nine months period.

INVESTED FUNDS

The invested funds of the Society exclusive of funds held in trust for churches, and of Annuity Funds on which interest does not become available to the Society until the death of annuitants, now stand at $43,198.00 of which $8,000 is in the Permanent Fund and $32,673.00 in the General Fund (legacy reserve account). This is an increase of $183.96 in the Permanent Fund and an increase in the General Fund of $956.80 the net increase in the total invested funds belonging to the Society being $1,140.76.

The Annuity Funds (sometimes called "Conditional Gifts") which do not revert to the Society's treasury until after the death of the donor and upon which the Society is paying him an annuity, amount to $4600, an increase of $100.00. The attention of persons who wish their money safely invested, with a guaranteed rate of interest and with a reversion to the Society at death, is called to the advantages of this Annuity Fund plan.

The amount of funds which the Society holds in trust for the churches is $44,447.96 an increase for the year of $158.96. The rate of interest is five per cent. The Directors have instructed the Secretaries to investigate the funds of aided churches whose interest yield is less than five per cent, it being obvious that aided churches should take advantage of the Society's banking facilities unless they have better facilities themselves.

	1919 (April 1-Dec. 31)	Budget Estimate
From contributions from churches and individuals, including Woman's Home Missionary Union and net adjustment of receipts with Congregational Home Missionary Society	$7,210.90	$5,700.00
Interest, less trust and Annuity Fund interest	2,223.31	2,250.00
Legacies	3,666.00	2,250.00
Total,	$13,100.21	$10,200.00

This excess of $2900.21 over the budget estimate is made up of an excess of about $1500 in contributions from churches and individuals (although the budget estimate called for an increase of $1800 from that source over the corresponding period of the year) and about $1400 from legacies. Following an increase from the same source last year the increase in contributions from the living is especially a cause for satisfaction. For the first time in history the "apportionment" for the Society seems to have been raised. The interesting fact about legacies is that they have come back after an entire lack last year. The balance in our favor this year goes about two-thirds of the way in cancelling the balance against us on that account last year.

EXPENDITURES

	1919 (April 1-Dec. 31)	Budget Estimate
For church work (44 Churches and fields)	$6,183.96	$5,714.00
Salaries of officers	2,831.82	2,738.00
Expenses of officers	1,163.45	1,095.00
"Vermont Missionary" deficit	432.74	150.00
Other printing, including "Minutes" and Stationery	118.43	160.00
Middlebury Convocation Travel and board of Pastors	277.77	175.00
Every-Member Drive		125.00
Miscellaneous and Margin	43.80	43.00
Total,	$11,051.97	$10,200.00

With reference to the excess of $851.97 of expenditures over the budget estimate it should be noted that a considerable portion of this is for the "Vermont Missionary" deficit against which can be reckoned subscriptions coming in at another time of the year. The excess in the church work item means that larger salaries have been paid and in the Middlebury Convocation item, that a larger number of men attended.

PASTOR-AT-LARGE ACCOUNT

Receipts

From contributions of 15 individuals	$1,480.00

Expenditures

For salary, one Pastor-at-large five and one-half months,	$687.50	
Expenses	277.72	
Middlebury Convocation Speakers, arrangements and promotion	469.18	
Office equipment and rent Associate Secretary,	122.00	
		1,556.40

An additional contribution of $100 in this account received since January 1, makes the receipts exceed the expenditures by $23.60. Since the money raised on this account was to increase the efficiency of our entire field work and since it was to include all money sought from individuals the items for office equiqment and rent of the Associate Secretary and the Middlebury Convocation expense were included under this heading, though not expenses incurred by the Pastor-at-Large himself.

Your Directors feel that the first six months of this Pastor-at-Large plan has abundantly justified itself. Although the Society authorized the securing of two Pastors-at-Large, it has not seemed best to secure but one, viz. Rev. Andrew S. Bole, formerly pastor at East Hardwick. Mr. Bole's energy, good sense, knowledge of the State and appreciation of its needs, and his unstinted devotion to the great work in hand, have shown him to be the right man in the right place.

Grateful mention should also be made of the sixteen men and women whose generous contribution has made possible the starting of what is sure to prove a most important feature in the future work of the Society. As is generally understood, it is proposed henceforward to care for the expenses of the Pastor-at-Large work in the larger budget which the World Movement Canvass will make possible.

WORK ON THE FIELDS

Thirty-seven missionaries labored in thirty-six fields, giving twenty years, three months and one week service. Ordinary fields 28, itinerant 11, duplicate 3, leaving 36. Missionaries in ordinary fields 26, in itinerant 11, total 37.

Eight other fields were helped on the dollar for dollar plan, making the total number 44, or over one-fifth of the active churches of the state. This total is one more than last year.

The additions were: By confession 81, by letter 29, total 110. Removals: By dismissal 32, by death 18, by revision 20, total 70. Net gain 40.

Though the report is for nine months only the additions, both by confession and by letter, were greater than for the twelve months reported last year or the twelve months reported the year before. The additions by confession were increase of 57%. There was a net loss reported last year of nearly twice as many as reported last year and the total is an exactly the same as the net gain reported for these nine months.

Although these statistics are suggestive of an upward trend we turn even with greater interest to the following extracts from reports from the churches.

East Arlington: "A special feature of encouragement was the addition to the church of the young people who are taking hold of the work well."

East Barre: "July 27 and 28 we observed the 25th anniversary of the church. All of the services were attended by large and appreciative audiences. It was a red letter occasion in the history of the church. An auxiliary furnace donated by one of our members, has been placed in the basement and it is now possible to have a comfortable audience room in the coldest weather."

Gaysville: "The chief advance of the year was in support of the church on the ground. An Every Member Canvass was carried out early in 1919 for that year which resulted in largely increased subscriptions. The Canvass for 1920 also showed an advance of about $100 in pledges over the preceding year, notwithstanding considerable financial losses from removals. It is certainly a new experience in this church for the Treasurer to have money on hand to meet bills promptly as they become due."

Guilford: "The annual business meeting and supper on and Prayer Meeting after the business meeting was as enjoyable a testimony and prayer meeting as I ever attended. Every one took part and prayed."

Hartland: "Union religious services in the Town Hall Sunday nights with community singing and motion pictures. Large attendance especially from outlying farms. Troop of

Boy Scouts, thirteen in number, in village. Union (cottage) prayer meetings during part of winter. Missionary apportionment overpaid for 1919. All bills met and balance on hand. Aid from V. D. M. S. reduced by $100. Enough pledged by Every Member Canvass to meet all needs for 1920. Prospect encouraging, but work must be done in the homes before church attendance will amount to much."

Londonderry: "It has been a trying year. Ten young and active members, leaders in work and influence, have removed from town. Yet the church has held its own. A new system of lighting has been installed in the meeting-house, and new hymn books purchased. All bills have been paid and the apportionment met. A better feeling is manifest on the part of outsiders towards the church, and a disposition on the part of nearly all the people to come together in one church, a result that is much to be desired and that seems possible under careful and patient administration."

Marshfield: "Annual meeting showed all bills paid and small balances in hands of different organizations. Pastor's salary increased for the coming year. $50 worth of paint on hand and paid for with which to paint meeting-house in the spring. Through money received outside of salary pastor has secured an automobile and hopes to do a more extended work the coming summer."

West Newbury: "Roads blocked more than half the time. Could not have special meetings because of this. All plans failed. However people speak encouragingly. The work is laborious because of long distances in calling. We are in need of men, men who care, and yet I find a change among them since I came a year ago. Very friendly relation between pastor and people. Outlook good. Am full of courage."

Clarendon: "We had a young man, a student for four and a half months. He was married, his wife was a real lady born and bred, seems to me she helped just as much as he did. I do not think he realized how much she did help. They lived in the parsonage and the people put enough furniture in so

that he did not have to buy even the least thing to keep house with. The people came to church."

West Fairlee: "I am working and praying for a great awakening, which has not yet come. A number of pleasant social gatherings, and about twenty-five evening prayer-meetings were held."

West Townshend: "Quite a number of non-church members attend and seem interested. The people are scarely able to increase the Pastor's salary very much if any, but they have been very prompt in payment, which is a great help."

Tyson: "The church paid its full apportionment for Congregational benevolences ($24.00) for the first time in 1919. Five children were baptized. The Sunday-School did especially well and a Cradle Roll was started with twelve names. All bills of the church were promptly paid."

Simonsville: "The membership is only four, all women. One is about 90 and about to die, another is expecting to die any time with cancer, another was the wife of that man who shot up the town, as we say out West, and is not interested, and the last one does all she can for the good of the cause. But there are people here. I never saw a community more in need of the gospel message than Andover, and I have been pretty well over the West. Some of the people don't want it, but it is our duty to give it to them till they get it. The children must not be neglected. We did not organize the Sunday School till January. There are over 400 folks in the township of Andover, and only one active Congregationalist, a woman. Now what are we going to do about it? I have preached missions ever since I became a Christian, now I consider myself a missionary. What I can do to make Andover a Christian community remains to be seen."

A WORD ABOUT THE FUTURE

In our report last year we said we should have two financial goals; the first being the making of still greater progress towards the raising of our full apportionment. That seems to

have been done so far as our Society is concerned. Next we said that we should lay plans for securing our Endowment Fund of $100,000 toward which there is in hand about $40,000. On account of the World Movement Canvass no plans of this sort have been made.

We went on to speak of how an additional income of about $6,500 could be used; (1) for increase of salaries; (2) for support of Pastors-at-Large; (3) for special aiding of particular churches to become fully equiped for solving the problems of their communities; (4) for uniting with other denominations in a comprehensive plan to reach those portions of the State which no church is now nominally covering.

It is interesting to observe that with a slight change in the phraseology of the fourth purpose, virtually every one of these purposes either has been realized or is likely to be realized in connection with the plans that the Inter-church and the Congregational World Movements are forwarding. It happens that these four purposes are very nearly those that are mentioned in the Vermont Supplement to the World-Wide Survey of the Congregational World Movement.

It seems therefore that we are going to have a chance to do the things we said we would do if we had the money. Not for years has the Society faced such an opportunity. Like the great Apostle in his letter to the Corinthians, the Society may say, "And a great door and effectual is opened unto me". It is also well to remember that the apostle added "and there are many adversaries". The adversaries we shall have to meet in these months and years just ahead are indeed many, but in the spirit of the dauntless Christ, we must go straight forward.

For the Directors,
C. H. MERRILL
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Secretaries

ORDINARY DEPARTMENT

A TABULAR VIEW OF AIDED CHURCHES FROM APRIL 1, 1919, TO JANUARY 1, 1920

Number	FIELDS	MISSIONARIES	Date of Commission	Length of Commission	Aid Pledged	Months of Service	Conversions	Added: By Confession	Added: By Letter	Removed: Dismissed	Removed: Died	Removed: Excluded	Resident Members	Male Members	Non-residents	Average Congregation	No. in Sunday School	Benevolences: Home Missions	Benevolences: Other Objects
1	Arlington, East	Mabel T. Winch	Apr. 1, '19	12	150	9	0	9	2	5	2	0	51	16	21	50	48	1.93	39.60
2	Barre, East	James Ramage	Jan. 1, '19	12	250	9	0	12	4	0	0	0	34	7	14	55	80	16.20	60.00
3	Braintree, East and Brookfield, West	Leland G. Chase	Apr. 21, '19	12	300	9		31	3	4	1	0	69	20	33	70	75	23.49	0.00
4	Brattleboro, Swedish	Anders C. Peterson	Nov. 1. '19	12	144	9	1	1	0	0	0	1	38	16	3	30	34	2.70	0.00
5	Calais, East	Charles C. Connor	June 1, '18	12	50	2	0	0	1	0	0	0	7	2	6	32	20	5.00	20.00
6	Calais	Charles C. Connor	June 1, '18	12	50	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	9	4	0	25	0	0.00	0.00
7	Charleston, East	Walter C. Carroll	Mar. 1, '19	12	300	9	3	3	3	0	0	0	54	18	19	70	65	0.00	35.00
8	Eden	Frank L. Stacy	Oct. 1, '19	12	500	3	0	0	0	1	3	0	5	1	9	15		0.00	0.00
9	Fairfield, East	A. B. Ross	Oct. 1, '19	12	150	9	0	0	0	0	1	0	42	11	5	31	15	10.00	16.00
10	Fair Haven, Welsh	John D. Owen	Jan. 1, '19	12	200	9	4	1	2	3	1	10	61	15	10	40	25	14.50	11.68
11	Gaysville	Levi Wild	Sept. 20 '19	12	100	3	0	0	0	2	0	0	12	3	7	35	40	4.00	30.00
12	Guilford	A. V. Woodworth	Dec. 1 '18	12	100	9	2	0	1	0	0	0	35	15	15	24	23	9.00	23.30
13	Hartland	Chas. O. Gill Edward C. Fellowes	Oct. 1, '18 June 1, '19	12 12	150	2 7	0	0	8	0	1	0	43	13	21	40	70	32.00	93.00
14	Londonderry	F. C. Taylor	Jan. 1, '19	12	150	9	4	4	0	2	1	3	34	15	16	38	50	1.04	37.96
15	Lowell	Frank L. Stacy	Oct. 1, '19	12	100	3	0	0	0	0	1	0	27	4	23	20	0	0.00	0.00
16	Marlboro	Henry H. Shaw	Jan. 1, '19	12	200	9	1	1	0	0	0	0	20	9	6	32	30	10.45	15.00
17	Marshfield	Geo. A. Furness	Feb. 17 '19	12	200	9	0	0	0	0	0	0	42	10	7	41	50	7.00	25.00
18	Morgan	Walter C. Carroll	Mar. 1. '19	12	25	9	5	5	1	1	0	0	17	8	2	40	28	6.46	13.00
19	Newbury, West	W. J. McNeil	Mar. 1, '19	12	150	9	3	0	0	0	0	0	41	11	21	32	50	0.00	69.00
20	Peru	Clarence C. Lyon	Aug. 1,'19	12	200	9	0	4	2	1	1	0	49		4	40	40	0.00	60.00
21	Pownal, North	Chas. E. Hitchcock	Jan. 1, '19	12	200	3½	0	0	0	3	0	0	34	11	3	42	45	6.60	21.95
22	Rutland Center, Swedish	Frank P. Lindberg	July 1, '19	12	100	6	0	0	0	4	1	0	43	18	0	38	30	2.70	0.00
23	Townshend, West	Wm. F. Bissell	Dec. 1, '19	12	100	9	0	0	0	1	0	0	23	6	9	26	43	10.88	32.27
24	Tyson	Wm. J. Ballou	Jan. 1, '19	12	150	9	0	1	0	0	0	3	20	5	17	18	27	0.00	17.75
25	Vershire	Geo. H. Dierlamm	Oct. 12, '19	12	350	2½	2	2	0	0	0	0	28	12	24	30	25	0.00	15.40
26	Warren	F. G. Aylmore	Aug. 1, '18	12	100	9	0	0	0	1	0	0	29	8	10	37	65	13.50	20.50
27	West Fairlee	A. H. Sargent	Jan. 1, '19	12	100	9	0	0	0	0	1	0	16	3	6	15	12	4.10	20.00
28	Windham	Leslie H. Metcalf	Aug. 1, '19	12	150	9	0	0	0	0	1	0	30	10	30	30	24	4.30	95.10

ITINERANT DEPARTMENT

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1	Alburg	T. J. Pitt	Apr. 28, '19	5½	50	5½	3	2	1	2	1	0	30	10	11	35	40	0.00	7.00
2	Bridgewater	Geo. M. Graham	May 10, '19	6	182	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	23	9	13	30	34	0.00	5.00
3	Clarendon	E. G. W. A. Jenkinson	May 18, '19	4½	45	4½	0	0	0	0	1	0	23	8	11	50	25	0.00	9.00
4	Eden	R. G. McLeod	Aug. 1, '19	1	25	1	*									16	0	*	
5	Ferrisburg	C. R. Williams	June 15, '19	3½	84	3½	0	2	0	1	0	0	23	8	11	17	20	23.28	0.00
6	Gaysville	E. R. Goodenough	June 29, '19	3	20	3	*									33	30	*	
7	Granby	Miss Ruth Richards	June 28, '19	2¾	76	2¾	0	0	0	0	1	3	8	4	6	28	30	12.05	30.00
8	Roxbury	A. C. McGiffort	June 15, '19	3	72	3	2	2	0	1	0	0	30	6	9	66	35	0.00	0.00
9	Simonsville	E. H. Stevens	Oct. 1, '19	3	58	3	4	0	0	0	0	0	4	0	10	22	0	0.00	0.00
10	Sherburne	F. C. Allen	June 14, '19	3	33	3	1	1	1	0	0	0	13	6	6	35	35	0.00	0.00
11	Vershire	F. W. Thompson	June 22, '19	3	92	3	3	*								63	60	*	

*—See Ordinary Department

TREASURER'S REPORT

John T. Ritchie, Treasurer
In account with the Vermont Domestic Missionary Society
Nine Months ending January 1, 1920.

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To cash on hand, April 1, 1919	$ 236.23
Contributions	
Churches and Individuals	5,471.47
W. H. M. U.	1,295.33
Special Gift, Individual	100.00
Supplies of Secretaries	65.00
Pastors at Large Fund	1,480.00
Evangelistic Campaign	114.52
Legacies	
Julia Bryant Estate, Fond du Lac, Wisconsin	195.00
Annette E. Goodwin Estate, Rochester, Vt.	500.00
Elizabeth W. Kimball Estate, Brattleboro, Vt.	2,971.94
Memorial Fund. Orrin and Martha Hubbard	25.00
Annuities	100.00
Interest, including Trust Fund Interest	4,103.31
Vermont Missionary	119.26
Congregational Home Missionary Society, (Adjustment of Percentage)	1,814.22
Investments Paid	4,150.00
	$22,741.28

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By Churches Aided,	
Grants	$ 4,012.81
Dollar for Dollar Plan	1,586.85
Itinerant	584.30
Salaries,	
Secretary	750.00
Associate Secretary	1,969.32
Treasurer	112.50
Officers' Expenses	
Travel, Secretary	35.02
Travel, Associate Secretary	331.35
Travel, Directors	85.07
Travel, Treasurer	6.54
Telephone and Telegraph, Secretary	4.90

Telephone and Telegraph, Associate Secretary	132.23
Office Supplies, Secretary	.50
Office Supplies, Associate Secretary	40.44
Postage, Secretary	9.73
Postage, Associate Secretary	122.78
Stenographer, Associate Secretary	394.89
Miscellaneous Expense	23.30
Printing and Stationery,	
Directors' Report	4.50
Annual Minutes	78.63
Other Printing and Stationery	35.30
Vermont Missionary	552.00
Pastors At Large Account	
Salary, Pastor at Large	687.50
Travel and Expense	277.72
Middlebury Convocation, Speakers, Arrangements and Promotion	469.18
Associate Secretary, Office Equipment	102.00
Associate Secretary, Rent	20.00
Middlebury Convocation, Board of Ministers	195.25
Middlebury Convocation, Travel	82.52
Expenses of Committee for Procuring Ministers	5.50
Evangelistic Campaign	81.54
General Theological Library	15.00
Special Gift, Individual	100.00
Insurance	13.00
Legal Advice	5.00
Interest Paid on Trust Funds and Annuities	1,880.00
Funds Invested and Reinvested	5,450.00
C. H. M. S., Adjustment of Percentage	1,370.12
Cash on Hand	1,113.69
	$22,741.28

FUNDS AND INVESTMENTS

MEMORIAL FUNDS

Emma Taft Memorial Fund	$ 500.00
Rev. C. W. Thompson Memorial Fund	1,900.00
Orrin and Martha Hubbard Memorial Fund	125.00
	$2,525.00

MEMORIAL FUND

Wm. J. Shores Mortgage	$2,000.00
5 Shares General Electric Co.	500.00
Bank Book Citizens Bank, St. Johnsbury, Vt.	25.00
	$2,525.00

ANNUITY FUND

Chas. L. Buchanan Mortgage	$1,500.00
Columbia Land Investment Co. Mortgage	2,000.00
U. S. Liberty Bond	1,000.00
	$4,500.00

PERMANENT FUND

Northern Pacific R. R. Bond	$2,000.00
Rutland Canadian R. R. Bond	1,000.00
Ogdensburg & Lake Champlain R. R. Bond	1,000.00
28 Shares Conn. & Pass. R. R. Stock	2,800.00
3 Shares General Electric Co. Stock	300.00
9 Shares First Nat. Bank Stock, St. Johnsbury, Vt.	900.00
	$8,000.00

GENERAL FUND

G. B. Stark, Mortgage	$3,000.00
C. W. Hankins, Mortgage	1,400.00
Joseph S. Barnett, Mortgage	3,000.00
Iva A. Norbury, Mortgage	5,000.00
Mary Flannery, Mortgage	1,250.00
Mazell V. Smith, Mortgage	3,000.00
Laura E. Snead, Mortgage	2,500.00
Personal Notes	1,200.00
Imperial Russian Government Bond	3,000.00
St. Louis Transit Co. Bond	1,000.00
8 Shares Farr-Alpaca Co. Stock	800.00
13 Shares Moline Scale Pfd. Stock	1,300.00
20 Shares New York, New Haven & Hartford R. R. Stock	2,000.00
10 Shares U. S. Steel Pfd.	1,000.00
Bank Book Citizens Bank, St. Johnsbury, Vt.	3,223.00
	$32,673.00

TRUST FUNDS

A. P. Bratt, Mortgage	$6,000.00
Dr. H. C. Muller, Mortgage	6,500.00
W. M. Taylor, Mortgage	6,400.00
Alfred J. Printz, Mortgage	2,500.00
J. W. Smith, Mortgage	1,000.00
Julian Morken, Mortgage	1,200.00
E. R. Amend, Mortgage	1,700.00
Bessie Bower, Mortgage	3,000.00
U. S. Liberty Bond	1,000.00
Western Union Tel. Co. Bonds	2,000.00
New York, N. H. & H. Conv. Bonds	2,000.00
American Tel. & Tel. Co. Bonds	2,000.00
33 Shares Fairbanks, Morse & Co. Pfd. Stock	3,300.00
31 Shares Pennsylvania R. R. Co. Stock	1,550.00
5 Shares E. & T. Fairbanks & Co. Ltd. Stock	500.00
7 Shares Moline Scale Co. Pfd. Stock	700.00
Bank Book Citizens Bank, St. Johnsbury, Vt.	3,097.96
	$44,447.96

CHURCHES AND SOCIETIES ENDOWED WITH TRUST FUNDS

Barnet, Emeline H. Wallace Fund	$ 225.00
Barre, Foreign Work (foreign born) Mrs. Emma Taft Fund	300.00
Calais, East, Albert Dwinell	500.00
Colchester, Deacon Farrand	500.00
Corinth, Center, C. M. Page	500.00
Corinth, East, C. M. Page	500.00
Essex Center, S. G. Butler	400.00
Essex, Center, S. C. Butler	500.00
Ferrisburg, Trustees of Congregational Society	1,101.00
Guildhall, C. D. Crawford	1,000.00
Guildhall, Congregational Church Society	300.00
Jericho, First, Adelia B. Harris	950.00
Marlboro, Delia Wilder	500.00
Marshfield, Lyman Clark	1,000.00
Milton, Polly Cary and Marion Ward	2,500.00
Milton, Polly Cary	1,000.00
Montgomery Center, Mary A. Paine	750.00
Newfane, Delia Wilder	500.00

Pittsfield, First, Josiah Babcock	700.00
Pittsfield, First, Harriet Babcock	2,000.00
Poultney, East	2,006.00
Roxbury, Parsonage Fund	600.00
Saxtons River, Deacon Warner	3,000.00
Sharon, Dr. Edward K. Baxter	1,500.00
Sharon, Mr. and Mrs. J. Henry Marsh Memorial	200.00
Townshend, West, Mary E. Taft	1,000.00
Townshend, West, Charles N. Pierce	200.00
Townshend, West, Parsonage Fund	600.00
Tunbridge, Susan L. Jones	820.00
Weathersfield, Bow, Charles Jarvis	1,900.00
West Fairlee, Center, Centennial Fund	100.00
West Fairlee, Center, Wilde Fund	100.00
West Fairlee, Center, Kimball Fund	50.00
Westfield, William A. Richardson	13,500.00
Westfield, Betsey Stebbins	500.00
Westford, Dea. Albert Partridge	800.00
Weston, Sarah A. Sprague	500.00
Weston, C. P. Heald	100.00
Martha A. Durkee Fund	1,345.96
	$44,447.96

This is to certify that I have this day examined the books and accounts of John T. Ritchie, Treasurer of the Vermont Domestic Missionary Society, and find them correct, with proper vouchers for each expenditure, and the securities as listed in the foregoing different funds, and find the balance of One Thousand One Hundred Thirteen Dollars and Sixty-nine Cents ($1,113.69) in the hands of the Treasurer.

Signed: J. C. CLARK, Auditor

St. Johnsbury, Vt., May 7, 1920.

Receipts for Home Missions for Nine Months from April 1, 1919 to January 1, 1920

Albany—April	$ 13.00
Arlington, East—Dec., W. H. M. U.	1.93
Ascutneyville—May, W. H. M. U., $5.00. Dec., $3.69. For C. H. M. S., May, W. H. M. U., $7.00	15.69
Bakersfield—Nov., $7.81. Dec., $5.80. Dec., W. H. M. U., $2.60	16.21
Barnet—May, W. H. M. U., $5.00. June, $20.00. Dec., $12.91. For C. H. M. S., May, W. H. M. U., $5.00	42.91
Barre—Dec., $162.54. Dec., W. H. M. U., $15.53. For C. H. M. S., June, S. S. Junior Department, $1.46	179.53
Barre, East—May, $4.00. July, $4.00. Oct., $5.00 Dec., $3.20	16.20
Barton—May, W. H. M. U., $7.00. For C. H. M. S., May, W. H. M. U., $7.00	14.00
$13.70. July, $36.19. Sept., $55.20. Dec., $51.76	189.85
Bennington, 1st—May, C. H. M. S.	19.00
Bennington, 2nd—May, W. H. M. U., $28.00; Sept., $44.80. Oct., W. H. M. U., $26.94. Dec., $75.00. For C. H. M. S., May, W. H. M. U., $13.00. Aug., S. S., $9.92. Dec., W. H M. U., $10.33	207.99
Bennington, North—May W. H. M. U., $10.00. For C. H. M. S., May. W. H. M. U., $20.00. May, $31.40. July, $23.25. Oct., $26.60. Oct., W. H. M. U., $5.00. Dec., $28.95	145.20
Benson—May, W. H. M. U., $10.00. July, $11.90. S. S., $1.00. Oct., W. H. M. U., $1.30. For C. H. M. S., May, W. H. M. U., $8.00	32.20
Berkshire, East—May, W. H. M. U., $5.00. For C. H. M. S., April, $13.00. May, W. H. M. U., $5.00	23.00
Berkshire, 2nd—For C. H. M. S., Oct.	10.35
Berlin—Dec., For C. H. M. S.	18.00
Bethel—Aug.	6.00
Bradford—May, W. H. M. U., $5.00. For C. H. M. S., May, W. H. M. U., $5.00. Nov., $33.28. Dec., $21.22	61.50
Braintree, 1st—Dec.	5.00
Braintree, East and Brookfield, West—Dec.	23.49
Brandon—Oct., W. H. M. U., $10.00. Dec., $33.55. For C. H. M. S., May, $30.00 May, W. H. M. U., $30.00	103.55
Brattleboro, West—Nov., $53.17. Dec., $63.11. Dec. W. H. M. U., $15.41. For C. H. M. S., Dec. W. H. M. U., $15.41	147.10
Brattleboro, Center—May W. H. M. U., S. S., $25.00. Ditto, W. A., $10.00. Ditto, W. A., $25.00. For C. H. M. S., May, W. H. M. U., S. S., $11.65. Ditto, W. A., $15.00. Ditto, W. A., $25.00. Sept., $100.00. Ditto S. S., $16.61. Oct., W. H. M. U., $0.50. Dec., $420.79. $9.44	658.99
Brattleboro, Swedish—June	2.70
Bridport—May, W. H. M. U., $5.00. Dec., $11.85. Dec., W. H. M. U., $2.20	19.05
Bristol—For C. H. M. S., June	3.00
Brookfield, 1st—May, W. H. M. U., $10.00. For C. H. M. S., May, W. H. M. U., $10.00	20.00
Brookfield, 2nd—Dec., $11.87. For C. H. M. S., May, W. H. M. U., $5.00	16.87
Brookfield, East—Oct.	18.36
Brownington and Orleans—May, W. H. M. U., $10.00. Dec., $72.74. For C. H. M. S., May, W. H. M. U., $5.00. May, W. H. M. U., $25.00	112.74
Burke, East—For C. H. M. S., Dec.	27.00
Burlington, 1st—May, W. H. M. U., $30.00. Ditto, $35.00. Dec., $498.00. For C. H. M. S., May, W. H. M. U., $71.00	634.00

Burlington, College St.—May, W. H. M. U., $10.00. Dec., $258.70. Dec., W. H. M. U.. $50.26. For C. H. M. S., May, W. H. M. U., $10.00. Dec. W. H. M. U., $50.26 379.22
Cabot—Dec. 45.00
Cambridge—April, $6.00. May, W. H. M. U., $5.00. For C. H. M. S., May, W. H. M. U., $5.00 16.00
Cambridgeport—June 1.06
Castleton—May, W. H. M. U., $5.50. Sept., $88.00. Nov. $2.00. For C. H. M. S., May, $10.90. May, W. H. M. U., $10.00. July, $6.33. Sept., $15.00 137.73
Charleston, West—Oct., W. H. M. U., $8.34. Ditto, $2.50. For C. H. M. S., May, W. H. M. U., $8.34. Oct., W. H. M. U., $2.50 21.68
Charlotte—For C. H. M. S. June, $25.51. Dec., $16.89 42.40
Chelsea—Nov., $17.39. Dec., W. H. M. U., $3.45. For C. H. M. S., May, W. H. M. U., $20.00. Oct., W. H. M. U., $19.50. Dec., W. H. M. U., $3.45 63.79
Chester—May, W. H. M. U., $2.50. Dec., $35.00. Dec., W. H. M. U., $3.89. For C. H. M. S., May, W. H. M. U., $2.50. Dec., W. H. M. U., S. S., $3.89 47.78
Colchester—May, W. H. M. U., $5.50. Dec., $20.79. For C. H. M. S., April $4.00 30.29
Corinth, East—Sept., $20.00. Oct., W. H. M. U., $10.00. Ditto, $2.00. Dec., $10.00. For C. H. M. S., May, W. H. M. U., S. S., $2.00 44.00
Corinth—Oct. 10.00
Cornwall—May, W. H. M. U., $5.00. Aug., $2.56. Dec., Ch. and S. S., $44.29. Dec., W. H. M. U., Aux., $11.50. For C. H. M. S., May, W. H. M. U.., $5.00. Oct., W. H. M. U., $11.50 79.85
Coventry—Oct., W. H. M. U., $5.00. For C. H. M. S., Aug., $10.00. Oct., W. H. M. U., $5.00. Dec., $20.50 40.50
Craftsbury, North—May, W. H. M. U., $5.00. Oct., $20.00. Dec., $5.69. For C. H. M. S., May, W. H. M. U., $6.70. July, $4.15 41.54
Danby—Aug. 30.00
Danville—May, W. H. M. U., $10.00. Dec., $45.00. For C. H. M. S., May, W. H. M. U., $20.00 75.00
Derby—April, $5.40. Dec., $6.75 12.15
Derby Line—For C. H. M. S., Dec., W. H. M. U. 7.00
Dorset—For C. H. M. S., May, W. H. M. U., $5.50. Oct., $71.68. Dec., $1.90 79.08
Dorset, East—May, W. H. M. U., $5.00. Dec., $1.00 6.00
Dover, West—Dec. 1.00
Dummerston—Oct., W. H. M. U. 1.25
Duxbury—May 13.50
Enosburg—May, W. H. M. U., $7.00. For C. H. M. S., May, W. H. M. U., $7.65. Nov., $42.00 56.65
Essex—May, W. H. M. U., $5.00. Dec. W. H. M. U., $3.00. For C. H. M. S., May, W. H. M. U., $5.00 13.00
Essex Junction—April, $6.29. May, W. H. M. U., $5.00. Dec., $31.00. For C. H. M. S., May, W. H. M. U., $10.00 52.29
Fairfield, East—June, $5.00. Nov., $5.00 10.00
Fair Haven—May, W. H. M. U., $5.00. For C. H. M. S., May, W. H. M. U., $10.00. July, $10.00 25.00
Fair Haven, Welsh—April, $3.50. July, $3.50. Oct., $3.50. Dec., $4.00 14.50
Ferrisburg—Dec., $18.50. For C. H. M. S., May, W. H. M. U., $4.78 23.28
Florence—Dec. 3.00
Franklin—May, W. H. M. U., Rebecca Guild, $5.00. For C. H. M S., May, W. H. M. U., Rebecca Guild, $5.00 10.00
Gaysville—Dec. 4.00
Georgia—May, W. H. M. U., $5.00. For C. H. M. S., May, W. H. M. U., $5.00 10.00
Glover, W.—Nov., $21.37. Dec., $15.15. For C. H. M. S., May, W. H. M. U., $15.00 51.52
Grafton—For C. H. M. S., May, Y. P. S. C. E., $2.74. June, S. S., $4.45 7.19
Granby—Dec., $2.05. Dec., W. H. M. U., $5.00. For C. H.

M.S .,Dec., W. H. M. U., $5.00 12.05
Greensboro—For C. H. M. S., May, W. H. M. U., $23.00. Dec., $26.50. Ditto, $4.50 54.00 9.00
Guilford—Aug.
Hardwick, East—Dec., $37.07. For C. H. M. S., May, W. H. M. U., $18.00 55.07
Hardwick—May, W. H. M. U., $6.00. For C. H. M. S., May, W H. M. U., $6.90 12.90
Hartford—July, $11.37. Oct. $10.04. Dec., $11.10. Dec., $3.75 36.26
Hartford, West—April, $3.30. Aug., $4.20. Oct., W. H. M. U., $2.87. Dec., $5.27. Dec., $6.90. Dec., W. H. M. U., $3.60 26.14 32.00
Hartland—For C. H. M. S., Dec.
Highgate—Oct., $7.00. For C. H. M. S., Dec., W. H. M. U., $3.00 10.00 40.75
Holland—July, $14.50. Dec., $26.25 2.50
Hyde Park—Feb., Individual
Irasburg—May, W. H. M. U., $4.00. For C. H. M. S., May, W. H. M. U., $4.00. Dec., $18.00 26.00 36.45
Island Pond—Dec. 5.00
Jamaica—April, W. H. M. U.
Jeffersonville—April, $10.00. For C. H. M. S., May, W. H. M. U., $11.96. Oct., W. H. M. U., $3.92 25.88
Jericho Center—May, $16.00. May, W. H. M. U., $5.00. July, $15.50. Dec., $7.16. Dec., W. H. M. U., $5.52. For C. H. M. S., May, $11.30. Dec., W. H. M. U., $5.52 66.00
Jericho—Dec. 15.00
Johnson—Aug., $23.00. Oct., W. H. M. U., $12.00 35.00
Leicester—For C. H. M. S., Dec., W. H. M. U. 1.50
Kirby—Dec. 2.00
Londonderry—Dec. 1.04
Ludlow—Dec., $17.64. Oct., W. H. M. U., $18.46. For C. H. M. S., July, $14.45 50.55
Lunenburg—For C. H. M. S., July 21.00
Lyndon—June, $11.50. Dec., $7.86 19.36
Lyndonville—May, W. H. M. U., $5.00. July, $20.50. Oct., W. H. M. U., $14.00. Nov., $20.50. Dec., $20.50. Dec., W. H. M. U., $14.00. For C. H. M. S., May, W. H. M. U., $5.00. Ditto, W. A., $15.00. Dec., W. H. M. U., $6.44 120.94
McIndoes—For C. H. M. S., Dec. 41.00
Manchester—Dec., $75.00. Ditto, $25.00. Dec., W. H. M. U., $10.00. For C. H. M. S., May, W. H. M. U., $20.00. Dec., W. H. M. U., $11.73 141.73
Marlboro—April, $1.85. July, $3.60. Oct., $3.05. Dec., $1.95 10.45
Marshfield—For C. H. M. S., May, W. H. M. U. 7.00
Middlebury—May, W. H. M. U., $10.00. Ditto, $10.00. Dec., $81.00. For C. H. M. S., May, W. H. M. U., $10.00 Ditto, $5.00. Ditto, $10.00. Dec., Individual, $500.00 626.00
Middletown Springs—May, W. H. M. U., $2.50. Dec., $41.00. For C. H. M. S., May, W. H. M. U., $5.00 48.50
Milton—May. W. H. M. U., $5.00. Dec., $10.31. For C. H. M. S., May, $16.75. May W. H. M. U., $10.00 42.06
Montgomery Center—Dec., $7.69. Dec., W. H. M. U., $1.40 9.09
Montpelier—May, W. H. M. U., $10.00. Dec., $85.00. For C. H. M. S., May, W. H. M. U., $20.00. Dec., $34.00 149.00
Morgan—Dec. 6.46
Morrisville—For C. H. M. S., July, $7.62. Oct., $9.05. Oct., W. H. M. U., $5.70. Dec., $12.45 34.82
Newbury—May, W. H. M. U., $10.00. Oct., W. H. M. U., $8.00. For C. H. M. S., May, W. H. M U., $10.00 28.00
Newfane—May, W. H. M. U., $3 00. Dec., $19.42. S. S., $6.00. Dec., W. H. M. U., $2.30. For C. H. M. S., May, W. H. M. U., $4.00. Ditto H. C., $3.00 37.72
New Haven—Oct., W. H. M. U., $10.65. Dec., $27.33. Dec., W. H. M. U., $4.27. For C. H. M. S., Dec., W. H. M. U., $4.27 46.52

Newport—May, W. H. M. U., $17.00. For C. H. M. S., May, W. H. M. U., $18.00	
Northfield—May. W. H. M. U., Laura Hazen Circle, $5.00. For C. H. M. S., May, W. H. M. U., Laura Hazen Circle, $10.00	35.00
Norwich—May, W. H. M. U., $5.00. For C. H. M. S., April, $9.72. May, W. H. M. U., $5.00. Sept., $16.03. Dec., $21.25	15.00
Orwell—May, W. H. M. U., $20.00. Dec., $74.55	57.00
Pawlet—Dec., $12.30. Dec., W. H. M. U., $1.93	94.55
Peacham—April, $26.56. May, W. H. M. U., $30.00. Aug., $23.44. Nov., $28.12. Dec., $39.06. For C. H. M. S., May, W. H. M. U., $5.00. Ditto, $10.00	14.23
Pittsfield—Dec.	162.18
Pittsford—May, W. H. M. U., $10.00. Oct., W. H. M. U., $10.00. Dec., $134.72. C. E. S., $3.35. For C. H. M. S., May, W. H. M. U., $10.00. Ditto, $5.95	6.00
Pomfret, North—For C. H. M. S., Oct.	174.02
Post Mills—May, W. H. M. U., $7.00. Dec., W. H. M. U., $2.37. For C. H. M. S., May, W. H. M. U., $3.00	22.00
Pownal, North—For C. H. M. S. May, W. H. M. U.	12.37
Proctor, Swedish—Dec.	4.90
Putney—For C. H. M. S., April, S. S., $1.36. Aug., S. S., $1.50. Dec., $17.39	5.00
Quechee—For C. H. M. S., May, W. H. M. U., $5.00. Sept., $10.00	20.25
Randolph, Center—Dec., W. H. M. U., $24.00. Ditto, $3.00	15.00
Randolph, Bethany—May, W. H. M. U., $10.00. Dec., Wood Fund, $15.09. Thayer Fund, $6.00. Dec., W. H. M. S., $4.59. For C. H. M. S., May, W. H. M. U., $15.00. Ditto, W. H. M. U., $10.00. Dec., $60.90. Dec., W. H. M. U., $4.59	27.00
Richmond—May, W. H. M. U., $4.00. Dec., $51.66. Dec., W. H. M. U., $8.10. For C. H. M. S., May, W. H. M. U., $4.00	126.17
Rochester—For C. H. M. S., April, $16.00. May, W. H. M. U., $11.00. Sept., $27.00	67.76
Royalton—May, W. H. M. U., Sarah Skinner Memorial Society, $5.00. Dec., $22.04. Dec., W. H. M. U., $4.29. For C. H. M. S., May, W. H. M. U., Sarah Skinner Memorial Society, $5.00	54.00
Royalton, South—May, W. H. M. U., $5.00. Aug., $7.44. Dec. W. H. M. U., $1.75. For C. H. M. S., April, $9.05	36.33
Rupert—May, W. H. M. U., $5.00. For C. H. M. S., April, $15.12. May, W. H. M. U., $5.00. Dec., $15.12	23.24
Rutland—May, W. H. M. U., $50.00. Oct., Pierpont Fund, $65.00. Dec., $149.95. Ditto, $210.00. Dec., W. H. M. U., $50.00. For C. H. M. S., May, W. H. M. U., $25.00. Ditto, W. H. M. U., $54.00. Ditto, Mary Martha Circle, $5.00	40.24
Rutland, Center—Aug.	608.95
St. Albans—May, W. H. M. U., $10.00. Dec., $81.29. For C. H. M. S., May, W. H. M. U., $30.00	2.70
St. Johnsbury, 1st—For C. H. M. S., W. H. M. U., May	121.29
St. Johnsbury, North—May, W. H. M. U., $10.00. June, $50.00. Dec., $190.00. Ditto, $110.00. Dec., W. H. M. U., $28.70. For C. H. M. S., May, W. H. M. U., S. S., $15.00. Ditto, W. U., $15.00. Dec., W. H. M. U., $28.70	15.00
St. Johnsbury, South—May, W. H. M. U., Mrs. R. P. F., $25.00. May, W. H. M. U., $30.00. Dec., $259.35. For C. H. M. S., Ap., S. S., $6.52. May, W. H. M. U., Mrs. R. P. F. $50.00. Ditto, W. A., $25.00. Oct., $4.00. Dec. Ch. and S. S., $4.50. Dec., W. H. M. U., $4.00	447.40
St. Johnsbury, East—For C. H. M. S., Dec.	408.37
Salisbury—Sept., $16.00. For C. H. M. S., Oct., W. H. M. U., $5.00	21.00
Sharon—For C. H. M. S., Dec.	21.00
	7.00

Saxtons River—Oct., $87.75. Dec., W. H. M. U., $7.50. For C. H. M. S., Oct., W. H. M. U., $7.50 102.75
Sheldon—Dec. 26.20
Shoreham—For C. H. M. S., June, S. S., $3.00. Sept. S. S., $3.00 6.00
South Hero—Oct. 13.00
Springfield—Oct., W. H. M. U., $10.00. Dec., W. H. M. U., $20.36. For C. H. M. S., April, $76.95. July, $76.95. Oct., W. H. M. U., $10.00. Dec., $80.94. Dec., W. H. M. U., $20.36 295.56
Stowe—Sept. 21.60
Strafford—Dec., Ch. and S. S. 30.00
Sudbury—Dec. 24.50
Swanton—May, W. H. M. U., $10.00. For C. H. M. S., May, W. H. M. U., $15.00 25.00
Thetford—April, $3.67. May, W. H. M. U., $5.00. Aug., $18.67. Dec., W. H. M. U., $5.00. For C. H. M. S., May, W. H. M. U., $5.00. Dec., W. H. M. U. $2.07 39.41
Thetford, North—Nov. 21.00
Townshend—May, W. H. M. U., $5.00. Dec., $22.40 27.40
Townshend, West—Dec., $6.60. For C. H. M. S., Oct., $3.24. Dec., $1.04 10.88
Troy, North—For C. H. M. S., Dec. 27.00
Underhill—Dec., $11.00. For C. H. M. S., May, W. H. M. U., $10.97 21.97
Vergennes—May, W. H. M. U., $10.00. For C. H. M. S., May, W. H. M. U., $10.00. Oct., W. H. M. S., $2.00. Dec., $74.92 96.92
Waitsfield—May, $21.60. Nov., $11.60. For C. H. M. S., May, W. H. M. U., $10.00 43.20
Wallingford—May, W. H. M. U., $5.00. July, $20.50. Oct., W. H. M. U. $5.00. Dec., W. H. M. U., $3.90. For C. H. M. S., May, W. H. M. U. $5.00. Oct., W. H. M. U., $5.00. Dec., $45.00 89.40
Wallingford, South—Dec. 5.40
Warren—Aug. 13.50
Waterbury—May, W. H. M. U., $10.00. Dec., W. H. M. U., $12.80. For C. H. M. S., May, W. H. M. U., $20.00. Dec., $41.75. Dec., W. H. M. U., $12.80 97.35
Waterville—For C. H. M. S., April 4.15
Waterford—Nov., Ladies Benevolent Society, $5.00. Dec., $10.00 15.00
Weathersfield—For C. H. M. S., Sept. 2.24
Wells River—July, $20.00. Nov., $15.00. Dec., W. H. M. U., $7.00. For C. H. M. S., May, W. H. M. U., $10.50. Dec., W. H. M. U., $7.00 59.50
West Fairlee—Dec. 4.10
Westfield—For C. H. M. S., Dec. 10.00
Westford—For C. H. M. S., May, W. H. M. U., $10.00. Ditto, Y. P., $5.00 15.00
Westminster—May, W. H. M. U., $10.00. Dec., $24.03. For C. H. M. S., Dec., W. H. M. U., $3.05 37.08
Westminster, West—For C. H. M. S., May, W. H. M. U., $9.20. Oct., W. H. M. U., $8.75. Dec., $19.50 37.45
Westmore—May, $10.50. Oct., W. H. M. U., $3.00. Dec., $3.28 16.78
West Rutland—Oct., W. H. M. U., $5.00. Dec., $41.67. Dec., W. H. M. U., $2.94. For C. H. M. S., Dec., W. H. M. U., $2.84 52.55
Weybridge—Dec. 40.90
Wilder—Aug., $6.00. Nov., $12.00 18.00
Williamstown—May, W. H. M. U., $10.00. Dec., $50.00. For C. H. M. S., May, W. H. M. U., $7.50 67.50
Williston—For C. H. M. S., May, W. H. M. U., $5.60. June, $15.00. Dec., $5.00 25.60
Wilmington—Dec. 14.00
Windham—For C. H. M. S., May, W. H. M. U. 4.30
Windsor—April, $10.00. Oct., W. H. M. U., $5.00. Dec., W. H. M. U., $2.30. For C. H. M. S., Oct., $10.00. Dec., S. S., $3.00. Dec., $8.25. Dec., W. H. M. U., $2.30 40.85

Woodbury, South—June		10.00
Woodstock—May, W. H. M. U., $5.00. Ditto, $15.34. Oct., W. H. M. U., $3.54. Dec., $53.75. Ditto, $120.00. For C. H. M. S., May, W. H. M. U., $10.00. Ditto, $20.00. June, S. S., $12.00. Oct., W. H. M. U., $7.50		247.13

Miscellaneous

1919		
April	Supply	$ 10.00
April	Evangelistic Campaign	44.87
April	Interest	953.47
April	For C. H. M. S., Individual	5.00
May	Evangelistic Campaign	24.07
May	Interest	65.00
May	For C. H. M. S., Individual	2.00
June	Orleans Association, Ev. Campaign	13.45
June	Pastors at Large Fund	275.00
June	Evangelistic Campaign	3.63
June	Interest	231.25
July	Pastors at Large Fund	250.00
July	Interest	665.26
July	For C. H. M. S., W. H. M. U.	100.00
Aug.	Supply	10.00
Aug.	Pastors at Large Fund	100.00
Aug.	Legacy, Annette E. Goodwin, Estate, Rochester	500.00
Aug.	Interest	224.00
Sept.	Pastors at Large Fund	130.00
Sept.	Interest	162.75
Oct.	Supply	15.00
Oct.	Evangelistic Campaign	3.63
Oct.	Pastors at Large Fund	425.00
Oct.	Interest	524.50
Oct.	For C. H. M. S., Franklin Co., via W. H. M. U.	2.87
Nov.	Supply	15.00
Nov.	Pastors at Large Fund	200.00
Nov.	Campaign for Evangelism	25.00
Nov.	Legacy, Elizabeth W. Kimball Estate, Brattleboro	2,971.94
Nov.	Legacy, Julia A. Bryant Estate, Fond du Lac, Wis.	195.00
Nov.	Interest	96.00
Dec.	Supply	15.00
Dec.	Pastors at Large Fund	100.00
Dec.	Memorial Fund, Orrin and Martha Hubbard	25.00
Dec.	Interest	1,191.08

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THE DECLARATION OF FAITH OF THE KANSAS CITY COUNCIL

Adopted as the doctrinal standard of the Vermont Congregational Conference, May 20, 1914.

We believe in God the Father, infinite in wisdom, goodness, and love; and in Jesus Christ, His Son, our Lord and Saviour, who for us and our salvation lived and died and rose again and liveth evermore; and in the Holy Spirit, who taketh of the things of Christ and revealeth them to us, renewing, comforting, and inspiring the souls of men. We are united in striving to know the will of God as taught in the Holy Scriptures, and in our purpose to walk in the ways of the Lord, made known or to be known to us. We hold it to be the mission of the Church of Christ to proclaim the gospel to all mankind, exalting the worship of the one true God, and laboring for the progress of knowledge, the promotion of justice, the reign of peace, and the realization of human brotherhood. Depending, as did our fathers, upon the continued guidance of the Holy Spirit to lead us into all truth, we work and pray for the transformation of the world into the kingdom of God; and we look with faith for the triumph of righteouness and the life everlasting.

For the action of the Conference on Congregational Ministerial Standing see pages 6-12 of the Minutes of 1920.

For Act of Incorporation, Constitution, and Rules of Business, see pages 5-18 of the Minutes of 1919. Note amendment to Constitution regarding Treasurer of Benevolences—see page 20 and page 24 of these Minutes.

OFFICERS OF CONGREGATIONAL BENEVOLENT SOCIETIES

American Board of Commissioners for Foreign Missions

Corresponding Secretaries—Rev. James L. Barton, Rev. C. H. Patton. Treasurer—Frederick E. Gaskins, Congregational House, Boston, Mass.

Vermont Branch of Woman's Board of Missions

President—Mrs. George S. Mills, Bennington. Secretary—Mrs. Edward Kirkland, Bellows Falls. Treasurer—Mrs. W. O. Lane, Burlington.

Vermont Domestic Missionary Society

Secretary—Rev. Charles H. Merrill, St. Johnsbury. Associate Secretary—Rev. Charles Clarkson Merrill, Burlington. Treasurer—Charles H. Newell, St. Johnsbury. Constituent part of Congregational Home Missionary Society.

CHURCH EXTENSION BOARDS

287 Fourth Avenue, New York City

Treasurer—Charles H. Baker. General Secretary—Rev. Charles Emerson Burton. Comprising

Congregational Home Missionary Society

(Represented in Vermont by Vermont Domestic Missionary Society)

Secretary of Missions—Rev. Frank L. Moore. Secretary of Promotion—Rev. William S. Beard. Secretary Woman's Department—Miss Miriam L. Woodberry.

Congregational Church Building Society

Secretary—Rev. J. R. Smith. Field Secretary for New England—Rev. William W. Leete, 14 Beacon Street, Boston, Mass.

Congregational Sunday School Extension Society

Secretary—Rev. W. Knighton Bloom.

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION BOARDS

14 Beacon Street, Boston, Mass.

General Secretary—Rev. Frank M. Sheldon. Treasurer—Joseph B. Robson. Comprising

Congregational Education Society

Corresponding Secretary—Rev. Frank M. Sheldon. Social Service Secretary—Rev. Arthur E. Holt. Missionary Education Secretary—Rev. Herbert W. Gates. Religious Education Secretary for New England—Rev. W. V. Lytle.

Congregational Publishing Society

Business Manager—Albert W Fell.

American Missionary Association

287 Fourth Avenue, New York City

Corresponding Secretaries—Rev. George L. Cady, Rev. Fred L. Brownlee. Associate Secretary—Rev. Samuel L. Loomis. Treasurer—Irving C Gaylord. District Secretary for New England—Rev. Alfred V. Bliss, 14 Beacon Street, Boston, Mass.

Congregational Board of Ministerial Relief

375 Lexington Avenue, New York City

Secretary—Rev. William A. Rice. Associate Secretary—Rev. Charles S. Mills. Treasurer—B. H. Fancher. Represented in Vermont by the Fairbanks Board of Relief for Ministers. Treasurer—Alvin C. Noyes, St Johnsbury.

Pilgrim Memorial Fund Commission

375 Lexington Avenue, New York City

Executive Secretary—Rev. Charles S. Mills. Treasurer—B. H. Fancher.

Vermont Woman's Home Missionary Union

(Auxiliary to All Home Societies)

President—Mrs. E. D. Burditt, Rutland. Secretary—Mrs. Evan Thomas, Burlington. Treasurer—Mrs. Max L. Powell, Burlington.

State Treasurer of Benevolences

Benjamin E. Bristol, 83 Brookes Ave., Burlington.

Congregational Board of Pastoral Supply

14 Beacon Street, Boston, Mass.

Secretary, Rev. Arthur J. Covell.

OFFICERS, COMMITTEES AND ARRANGEMENTS FOR THE NEXT ANNUAL MEETING

President—Frank L. Fish, Vergennes.

Vice-President—Rev. Francis A. Poole, St. Johnsbury.

Secretary—Rev. Charles C. Merrill, Burlington.

Statistical Secretary—John M. Comstock, Chelsea.

Treasurer—Frederick W. Baldwin, Barton

Treasurer of Benevolences—Benjamin E. Bristol, Burlington.

Auditors—Wallace H. Gilpin, Barton; John C. Clark, St. Johnsbury; G. Raymond Stimets, Burlington.

DIRECTORS

Ex-Officio—Frank L. Fish, President Conference; Prof. George H. Perkins, Burlington, President V. D. M. S.; Mrs. E. D. Burditt, President W. H. M. U.; Mrs. George S. Mills, President Vermont Branch W. B. M.

At Large—Miles S. Sawyer, Rutland; Rev. Stanley Cummings, St. Albans; Jonas H. Brooks, St. Johnsbury.

Representing Associations—Term Expiring 1922—Rev. William F. Frazier, Vergennes; Rev. Donald Fraser, Wells River; Carlton D. Howe, Morrisville; Rev. William A. McIntire, Danby; Rev. William J. Ballou, Chester; H. Gordon Woodruff, Montpelier; Rev. Herbert P. Woodin, Brattleboro. Term Expiring 1923—Rev. Vincent Ravi-Booth, Bennington; John E. Tinker, Danville; Frank E. McIntosh, Burlington; Cornelius L. Smith, Swanton; March M. Wilson, Randolph; Rev. Rollo A. Hamilton, Orleans; Frederick P. Campbell, Wilder.

H. Gordon Woodruff is Chairman of the Board.

BOARDS

Fairbanks Board of Education—Rev. Leland A. Edwards, Rev. Frederick B. Richards, Rev. Francis A. Poole, Gilbert E. Woods.

Fairbanks Board for Relief of Ministers—Rev. Charles H. Merrill, Alvin C. Noyes, Rev. Donald Fraser, Arthur F. Stone, Rev. Chauncey A. Adams.

REPORTERS AND RECEIVERS

Addison Association—Rev. William F. Frazier; Bennington Association—H. D. Cushman; Caledonia Association—Rev. Charles B. Bliss; Chittenden Association—Rev. Francis J. Malzard; Essex Association—Mrs. Erwin Balch; Franklin and Grand Isle Association—Rev. William C. Clark; Grafton-Orange Association—Rev. Henry S. Ives; Lamoille Association—Mrs. Flavilla Holmes; Orange Association—Rev. James S. Clark; Orleans Association—Clinton A. Wood; Rutland Association—Rev. Ola R. Houghton; Union Association—Rev. Frederick C. Taylor; Washington Association—Rev. James B. Sargent; Windham Association—Rev. Arthur V. Woodworth; Windsor Association—Rev. Burton A. Lucas.

COMMITTEES OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS

Executive Committee—H. Gordon Woodruff, Mrs. E. D. Burditt, Rev. W. A. McIntire, Frank E. McIntosh, Rev. Stanley Cummings.

Printing—Rev. Charles H. Merrill, John M. Comstock.

Arrangements for Next Meeting—Rev. Clement G. Clarke, Frank L. Fish, Rev. William J. Ballou, Rev. Herbert P. Woodin, Rev. Charles H. Merrill, Mrs. E. D. Burditt.

Civic Justice and Community Service—March M. Wilson, Miles S. Sawyer, Cornelius L. Smith, Rev. Donald Fraser, Rev. Herbert P. Woodin.

Religious Education—Rev. William F. Frazier, Carlton D. Howe, Prof. George H. Perkins, Rev. Vincent Ravi-Booth,

Rev. Chauncey A. Adams, Rev. Charles N. St. John, Mrs. Edward D. Collins.

Ministerial Standing—Rev. S. G. Barnes, Rev. Frank L. Goodspeed, Rev. Clifford H. Smith, Rev. Edward C. Fellowes, Rev. Leland A. Edwards.

Benevolence and Missionary Education—Rev. James B. Sargent, Mrs. E. D. Burditt, Mrs. George S. Mills, Rev. Walter Thorpe, Wallace H. Gilpin.

Evangelism—Rev. Rollo A. Hamilton, Rev. Edward G. French, Rev. Thomas A. Carlson, Rev. F. Wilson Day, Homer H. Webster, Ralph E. Flanders.

Recruiting for the Ministry—Rev. Chauncey C. Adams, Rev. I. Chipman Smart, Rev. Henry C. Newell, Professor Carl V. Woodbury, Principal Theodore H. Wilson, Principal Charles H. Morrill, Professor Evan Thomas, Professor Charles B. Wright.

The Secretary of the Conference is ex-officio a member of all these committees.

OTHER OFFICERS AND COMMITTEES

Committee on Nominations—C. P. Cooper, 1922; Rev. Frederick B. Richards, 1923; Rev. William F. Frazier, 1924.

Trustees of Vermont Anti-Saloon League—Rev. Charles E. Hayward, Rev. William Millar, Clarence P. Cowles, Justin R. Hoadley, E. B. Jordan, Rev. Clifford H. Smith.

Manager of Boston Seaman's Friend Society—Rev. Chauncey C. Adams.

Director of Vermont State Sunday School Association—Walter H. Crockett.

Directors of Board of Pastoral Supply—Rev. Herbert P. Woodin, Warner A. Graham.

Delegates to National Council—Term Expires in 1923—Ralph E. Flanders, Alternate, J. R. Hoadley; Term Expires in 1925—Rev. George S. Mills, Alternate, Rev. Chauncey A. Adams.

NEXT ANNUAL MEETING

The next meeting will be at Springfield May 9-11.

Preacher—Rev. James B. Sargent, Northfield.

Alternate—Rev. Frank L. Goodspeed, Barre.

MINUTES

The One Hundred Twenty-Sixth Annual Meeting of the Vermont Congregational Conference convened in the First Congregational Church at Vergennes, Tuesday, May 10, 1921, at 2.00 P. M.

The meeting was called to order by the President, Rev. Edward G. French, of Johnson. Scriptures were read and prayer offered by Rev. Thomas A. Carlson of West Rutland.

Rev. Leland G. Chase of Wilder was elected Scribe and Rev. Rollo A. Hamilton of Orleans, Assistant Scribe.

The following were appointed as a Business Committee and confirmed by vote of the Conference: Rev. Clifford H. Smith, Ludlow; Rev. James B. Sargent, Northfield; Deacon E. A. Dutton, North Craftsbury.

The Conference Roll was as follows:

Churches	Pastor	Delegates
Arlington, E.	Mabel T. Winch	
Burlington First	C. C. Adams	Harry S. Howard
Burlington, College St.		(Rev.) Evan Thomas
Bakersfield	W. C. Clark	Mrs. W. C. Clark
Barton		Mrs. W. H. Gilpin
Bennington, First	Vincent Ravi-Booth	
Bennington, Second	George S. Mills	Mrs. George S. Mills
Brandon	Walter Thorpe	F. N. Briggs
Brattleboro Center	Herbert P. Woodin	George H. Clapp
Bridgewater	Miles E. Bacon	
Bridport	Hervey Gulick	Mrs. C. A. Pratt
Bristol, (Federated)	F. M. Hagadorn	
Brownington & Orleans	R. A. Hamilton	
Cabot	F. L. Stacy	Mrs. F. L. Stacy
Castleton (Federated)	R. G. McLeod	
Charleston, East	George H. Dierlamm	Miss Grace Barney
Chelsea		Henry J. Orr
Chester	W. J. Ballou	Mrs. W. J. Ballou
Cornwall	C. R. Hamlin	
Craftsbury, North	Carl J. Peterson	E. A. Dutton
Danby	W. A. McIntire	
Danville	C. A. Adams	C. W. Lang
Derby (Federated)	F. E. Davison	
Dorset, East	W. A. McIntire	
Enosburg	R. A. Burn	W. J. Chaffee
Florence	C. C. Claris	
Glover, West	J. J. Hutchinson	
Greensboro	Edwin R. Gordon	
Guildhall	George B. Marsh	Mrs. G. B. Marsh
Hartford, Second	Edward T. Ford	Mrs. E. T. Ford
Hartford-Wilder (Federated)	Leland G. Chase	
Johnson	A. B. Ross	Miss Janie Holmes
Ludlow	C. H. Smith	

Lyndonville,	H. J. Hinman	
Middlebury	H. C. Newell	
Middletown Springs, (Fed)	H. L. Kelton	D. S. Carpenter
Montpelier	Charles N. St. John	Mrs. H. G. Woodruff
Newbury-Wells River	Donald Fraser	Luther Butler
New Haven	W. E. Page	S. D. Doud
Newport	L. A. Edwards	Mrs. L. A. Edwards
Northfield	James B. Sargent	W. W. Holden
Orwell	Robert Lawton	E. E. Young
Pawlet, West	Joseph Evans	
Peru	C. C. Lyon	M. J. Hapgood
Pittsford		Miss Katherine Pye
Richmond, (Federated)	F. W. Hazen	W. C. Fuller
Rockingham-Saxton's River		E. H. Weston
Rockingham-Bellows Falls	Edward C. Fellowes	C. P. Cooper
Rutland	George A. Buttrick	George M. Hogan
St. Albans	Stanley Cummings	Mrs. F. L. Truax
St. Johnsbury, North	F. B. Richards	E. H. Cowles
St. Johnsbury, South	F. A. Poole	Austin Beach
Salisbury	C. M. Woodmansee	Mrs. R. H. Holmes
Shoreham		
Springfield	C. G. Clarke	
South Hero & Grand Isle		J. L. Kinney
	George G. Ross	
Stockbridge-Gaysville	Miss Frances S. Walkley	A. R. Straw
Stowe (Federated)	C. E. Hayward	
Strafford	James G. Robertson	Mrs. R. H. Bosworth
Townshend	R. H. Bosworth	Willard R. Bristol
Vergennes	William F. Frazier	Ralph Joslin
Waitsfield		C. N. Batcheller
Wallingford		
South Wallingford	O. R. Houghton	Mrs. W. B. Gilpin
Westfield (Federated)		George C. Wright
Westminster		
Westmore	T. H. Root	
West Rutland (Federated)		George C. Robinson
	Thomas A. Carlson	
Weybridge	S. H. Barnum	
Whiting, (Federated)	B. L. Chase	
Williamstown	C. E. Walsh	F. E. Harrington
Windham	L. H. Metcalf	
Woodstock	Herbert H. Hines	

Members Ex-Officio Not Otherwise Listed

President—Rev. Edward G. French.

Secretary—Rev. Charles C. Merrill.

Statistical Secretary—John M. Comstock.

Treasurer—Frederick W. Baldwin.

Auditor—Wallace H. Gilpin.

Directors—Mrs. E. D. Burditt, Mrs. George S. Mills, Charles I. Button, Harry D. Howe, March M. Wilson.

Committees—Rev. Henry L. Ballou, Rev. S. G. Barnes, Professor Evan Thomas.

Vermont Domestic Missionary Society—President, Nathan G. Williams; Secretary, Rev. Charles H. Merrill; Pastor-at-Large, Andrew S. Bole; Treasurer, Charles H. Newell.

Summary:

Number of Pastors present	63
Number of Delegates present	45
Number of Ex-Officio Members	14
Total members	122

Number of churches represented, 73.

Total registered at entertainment desk, 212.

An address of welcome was given by Rev. William F. Frazier of Vergennes and the response made by the President.

The program as recommended by the Committee of Arrangements was accepted.

The report of the Fairbanks Board of Education was presented by Rev. F. B. Richards in the absence of Gilbert E. Woods, Treasurer, and was accepted and approved as follows:

St. Johnsbury, Vt., May 7, 1921

Gilbert E. Woods, Treasurer, in Account with the Fairbanks Board of Education

Dr.

1920				
May	7	To cash on hand	$665.92	
		To income from investments	760.43	
				$1,426.35

Cr.

By paid (aid, three students)	$400.00	
By paid taxes on Rice land	71.41	
By purchased $500 bond, Fourth Loan	432.26	
By trans. to savings account	106.68	
By check account	416.00	
		$1,426.35

The invested funds are as follows:

5 shares E. & T. Fairbanks & Co., Ltd.	$ 500.00
Mahaffey mortagage loan	1,700.00
Hanson mortgage loan	1,300.00
W. S. Rice land	1,200.00
33 shares Fairbanks, Morse & Co.	3,300.00
12 shares Western Union Tel. Co.	1,200.00

16 shares Pennsylvania Railroad Co.	800.00	
2 shares First National Bank, St. Johnsbury	200.00	
Russian Government, 6½% credit	1,000.00	
Second Liberty Loan	1,000.00	
Fourth Liberty Loan	500.00	
Savings Account, Citizens Sav. Bank & Trust Company, St. Johnsbury	3,541.77	
Check account	416.00	
Total		$16,657.77

St. Johnsbury, Vt., May 7, 1921

I hereby certify that I have examined the accounts of Gilbert E. Woods, Treasurer of the Fairbanks Education Board, for the year ending May 7th, 1921, and find the same correct, there being proper vouchers for all payments, on savings account $3,541.77. The other securities belonging to the Board have also been examined and are all as set forth in the above statement.

(Signed) J. C. CLARK, Auditor

The Report of the Fairbanks Board for Ministerial Relief, Alvin C. Noyes, Treasurer, was presented by Rev. C. H. Merrill, and was accepted and approved as follows:

Statement of Treasurer, Fairbanks Board for Relief of Ministers for Year Ending May 1, 1921

Dr.

Cash on hand May 1, 1920	$1,293.11	
Received from churches of Vermont (Regular)	595.40	
Received from churches of Vermont (Emergency Camp.)	214.24	
Received from Congregational Board for Ministerial Relief from Christmas Fund	250.00	
Investments paid	5,322.50	
Income from investments	1,663.43	
		$9,338.68

Cr.

Aid rendered to fifteen beneficiaries	$1,990.00
Funds reinvested	5,421.25
Christmas Fund paid our beneficiaries	250.00
Interest on investments purchased	29.05
Treasurer's salary	25.00
Sundry expenses	6.25

Cash on hand May 1, 1921	1,617.13	
		$9,338.68
Principal amount of investments held on May 1, 1921, stands at		$30,323.31

(Signed) ALVIN C. NOYES, Treasurer

This certifies that I have this day examined the accounts of Alvin C. Noyes, Treasurer, and find the same correct with proper vouchers for all disbursements, and the balance of cash on hand as stated, Sixteen Hundred Seventeen and 13-100 Dollars ($1617.13). I have also verified the above statement of investments.

(Signed) J. C. CLARK, Auditor

St. Johnsbury, Vermont
May 9, 1921

The following recommendation was referred to the Business Committee:

That Rule No. 4 (as amended June 1876) of the Rules of the General Convention in regard to Fairbanks Board for Relief of Ministers be amended to read as follows:
Rule No. 4 (as amended June 1876)

It is ordered that the Trustees appointed under the preceding Rules be authorized to settle with the Executors of the Will of Mr. Fairbanks by receiving the notes of E. & T. Fairbanks and Company as cash, and as fast as they shall receive the proceeds of these notes, the Trustees shall invest the same only upon the security of unencumbered real estate worth twice the amount so secured thereon, exclusive of buildings, or in United States Government Bonds, or in State, City or Town Bonds of unquestioned validity and value, or in Corporation Bonds which are legal investments for Savings Banks under the laws of Vermont.

The Report of the Committee on Benevolences and Missionary Education, H. G. Woodruff, Chairman, was presented by Secretary C. C. Merrill, and was accepted. (See Appendix F).

The report of the Committee on Evangelism was presented by Rev. R. A. Hamilton.

After being amended so as to omit the recommendation that a minimum quota for accessions be sent to each church, the report was accepted and adopted. (See Appendix C).

The report of the Committee on Recruiting for the Ministry,

Rev. C. C. Adams, Chairman, was presented by him and accepted. (See Appendix D).

The report of the Committee on Civic Justice and Community Service was presented by March M. Wilson, Randolph, Chairman, and was accepted. (See Appendix H).

On recommendation of the Committee on Nominations, C. P. Cooper of Rutland was elected to fill out the unexpired term of John R. Akin of Newport, deceased, as a member of the Committee on Nominations.

Greetings and Reports were made as follows:

Boston Seaman's Friend Society, Rev. Merritt A. Farren, Corresponding Secretary, Boston.

Congregational Board of Pastoral Supply, Rev. Arthur J. Covell, Secretary, Boston.

Vermont Anti-Saloon League, Albert Laing, Superintendent, Burlington.

Vermont Sunday School Association, Rev. G. Ernest Robbins, Secretary, Burlington.

This first section of the Tuesday afternoon session closed with an address on "Religious Education—The Next Step—How?", Rev. W. Vernon Lytle, Secretary for New England, Congregational Education Society, Boston.

After a brief recess the Conference sermon on "The Proof of Salvation," from I John 3: 14, was preached by Rev. George A. Buttrick of Rutland. The sermon was followed by the celebration of the Lord's Supper, Rev. William J. Ballou of Chester and Rev. H. H. Hines of Woodstock officiating, assisted by the following Deacons: W. R. Bristol of Vergennes, W. J. Chaffee of Enosburg, H. B. Cummings of Strafford, and C. H. Root of North Craftsbury.

Recess was declared until 7.30 P. M.

TUESDAY EVENING SESSION

The evening session was called to order by the President and the devotional service was conducted by Rev. E. T. Ford, of Hartford, a group of colored male singers from Straight College, New Orleans, assisting.

The Annual Memorial Service for "Our Ministers Who Have

Died During the Year" was conducted by John M. Comstock of Chelsea and Rev. L. A. Edwards of Newport who offered the prayer.

Statistical Secretary Comstock then made his Annual Report under the title "Vermont Congregationalism in 1920."

"Southland Congregationalism in 1921" was presented by President H. A. M. Briggs of Straight College, New Orleans.

The address of the evening, "The Religious Outlook in Anglo-Saxon Countries—the Attitude and Action it Suggests to Christian Leaders," was delivered by Principal D. L. Ritchie, D. D., of the Congregational College of Montreal.

The Straight College quartet furnished music throughout the evening.

The Conference was adjourned until Wednesday at 9.00 A. M.

WEDNESDAY MORNING SESSION

The session was called to order by the President.

The Report of Secretary C. C. Merrill was accepted. (See Appendix B).

The Treasurer's Report was presented by F. W. Baldwin of Barton, Treasurer, and was accepted and approved as follows:

Vermont Congregational Conference Treasurer's Account

May 9, 1921

Cr.

May 10, 1920	In treasury	$ 45.10	
	Money borrowed	200.00	
	Received from Associations	2,585.58	
			$2,830.68

Dr.

Expenses Conference 1920	$ 81.15
Interest paid on borrowed money	27.00
Printing Minutes	207.83
Miscellaneous printing	64.32
National Council—1920	697.14
National Council—1921	346.00
Board Pastoral Supply—1920	174.28

Board of Pastoral Supply—1921	170.00	
Expenses Directors' Meetings	139.98	
Expenses Com. Benv. & Missionary Education	2.98	
Expenses Committee on Religious Education	19.91	
Burlington Savings Bank—note paid	506.25	
John M. Comstock, Statistical Sec., salary and expenses	109.79	
F. W. Baldwin, treasurer's expenses	21.92	
Cash in treasury	262.13	
		$2,830.68

There is due from Associations:		
Essex Association	$11.55	
Franklin and Grand Isle Assn.	8.36	
		$19.91

In 1920, the dues of Chittenden Association for 1919 were unpaid amounting to $198.00. At the June meeting of that Association it was voted to pay $70.00 of said amount in consideration that the Directors of the State Conference would abate the balance, or $128.00. September 7th, 1920 Mr. H. S. Howard, Treasurer of Chittenden Association, wrote me as follows: "Rev. C. C. Merrill has notified me that the Board of Directors of the State Conference has voted to abate the balance of the 1919 assessment of the Chittenden Association, or $128.00."

Auditor's Statement:

I have this day examined the books and vouchers and accounts of your Treasurer, Frederick W. Baldwin, as set forth above and find them correct.

Dated at Barton, Vermont, this 7th day of May, A. D., 1921.

(Signed) WALLACE H. GILPIN, Auditor

In the absence of Rev. Donald Fraser of Wells River, Chairman of the Interchurch World Movement Committee, Secretary C. C. Merrill presented the Report of this Committee. The report was accepted. (See Appendix G).

The report of the Committee on Ministerial Standing was made by Rev. S. G. Barnes and accepted. (See Appendix E).

Secretary C. C. Merrill in the absence of Rev. William F. Frazier, Chairman, reported for the Committee on Religious Education, saying that the Committee had been mainly engaged with two matters: (1) the preparation of a Syllabus of Essen-

tial Christian Truths, for the use of ministers; (2) the forwarding of a plan for Week-Day Religious Education. Concerning the first, considerable work could be reported and some progress. As to the second, there had been co-operation with other Protestant denominations; an opinion had been secured from the Attorney-General, corroborated by the Commissioner of Education, which seemed to permit the starting of week-day religious instruction in co-operation with the public schools in at least a limited number of communities throughout the State; and the further carrying out of the plan had been committed to the executive leadership of the Vermont Sunday School Association and its General Secretary. The report was accepted.

The report of the Board of Directors was presented by Hon. Charles I. Button of Middlebury. The report was accepted with the exception of the references to the Dunham Sunday Law. (See Appendix A).

The budget recommended in the report and the per capita contribution of eleven cents were adopted.

On recommendation of the Board of Directors, Secretary Charles C. Merrill was unanimously elected by a rising vote as Secretary for the year 1921-22.

The report of the Committee on Nominations was given by Chairman Rev. H. L. Ballou and Officers, Boards and Committees were elected in accordance therewith as follows:

President—Frank L. Fish, Vergennes.

Vice-President—Rev. Francis A. Poole, St. Johnsbury.

Treasurer—Hon. Frederick W. Baldwin, Barton.

Auditors—Wallace H. Gilpin, Barton and John C. Clark, St. Johnsbury.

Directors of the Conference: At Large—Rev. Stanley Cummings, St. Albans; Jonas H. Brooks, St. Johnsbury.

Representing Associations—Term expiring 1923—Rev. Vincent Ravi-Booth, Bennington; John E. Tinker, Danville; Frank E. McIntosh, Burlington; Cornelius L. Smith, Swanton; March M. Wilson, Randolph; Rev. Rollo A. Hamilton, Orleans. (A layman from Windsor Association to be nominated at the annual

meeting of said Association and elected by the Board of Directors.)

Fairbanks Board of Education—Rev. Leland A. Edwards, Newport; Rev. F. B. Richards, St. Johnsbury; Rev. Francis A. Poole, St. Johnsbury; Gilbert E. Woods, St. Johnsbury.

Fairbanks Board for Relief of Ministers—Rev. Charles H. Merrill, St. Johnsbury; Alvin C. Noyes, St. Johnsbury; Rev. Donald Fraser, Wells River; Arthur F. Stone, St. Johnsbury; Rev. C. A. Adams, Danville.

Reporters and Receivers—(to fill vacancies). Franklin and Grand Isle Association, Rev. W. C. Clark, Bakersfield; Orange Association, Rev. James S. Clark, Brookfield.

Committee on Nominations—Rev. William F. Frazier, Vergennes, term expires 1924.

Trustees of Vermont Anti-Saloon League—Rev. Charles E. Hayward, Stowe; Rev. William Millar, Essex Junction; C. P. Cowles, Burlington; Justin R. Hoadley, Rutland; E. B. Jordan, Jericho Center; Rev. C. H. Smith, Ludlow.

Manager Boston Seaman's Friend Society—Rev. C. C. Adams, Burlington.

Director of Vermont S. S. Association—Walter H. Crockett, Burlington.

Directors of Board of Pastoral Supply—Rev. Herbert P. Woodin, Brattleboro; Warner A. Graham, Bellows Falls.

Preacher at next annual meeting—Rev. James B. Sargent, Northfield. Alternate—Rev. Frank L. Goodspeed, Barre.

(For full list of officers, boards and committees see pages 7-9, it being understood that members ex-officio and hold-over members of boards and committees, and committees of the Board of Directors, given in that list were chosen at other times.)

Ralph E. Flanders invited the Conference to meet at Springfield for its One Hundred and Twenty-Seventh Annual Meeting. On motion of F. W. Baldwin the Conference voted to accept the invitation.

At 10.00 A. M. the Conference adjourned to give place for the meeting of the Vermont Domestic Missionary Society.

WEDNESDAY AFTERNOON SESSION

The afternoon session was called to order by the President at 2.00 P. M.

The Board of Directors presented the following recommendations for the permanent establishment of the office of Treasurer of Benevolences:

(1). That Article IV, Section 1 of the Constitution be amended by adding after the word "Treasurer," the words, "Treasurer of Benevolences," so that the first sentence of said Article IV, Section 1 shall read:

The Officers of the Conference shall be a President, Vice-President, Secretary, Treasurer, Treasurer of Benevolences, one or more Auditors of Accounts, and a Board of Directors.

(2). That the Committee on Nominations be instructed to bring in a nomination for an auditor of accounts whose duty shall be to audit the account of the Treasurer of Benevolences.

These recommendations were laid upon the table according to the Constitution to be taken up at the Thursday session.

Secretary C. C. Merrill moved that the Chair appoint a committee of three to consider the question of delegates to the National Council. The motion was carried and the following committee appointed:

Rev. C. C. Adams, Rev. W. A. McIntire and Rev. R. A. Hamilton.

The state percentages for division of missionary contributions as recommended by the Board of Directors were approved by the Conference. (See report of Board of Directors, Appendix A).

The question of the time for the benevolence canvass on motion of Secretary C. C. Merrill was referred to the Board of Directors who are to report their findings duing the Convocation at Middlebury.

A motion was passed instructing the Board of Directors to ask each church to undertake some program of Missionary Education.

The report of the Treasurer of Benevolences was submitted by Treasurer B. E. Bristol of Burlington and was accepted and approved as follows:

Report of B. E. Bristol, State Treasurer of Benevolences for the Year January 12, 1920 to May 7, 1921

Receipts

Amount of three notes less revenue stamps		$2,999.40
Vermont Domestic Missionary Society (Refund Mr. Merrill's salary)		758.44
Congregational World Movement Refund (Expenses 1920 Drive)		4,553.78
Interest on monthly balances		185.04
Received from churches for one-half expenses of duplicate envelopes		9.52
Refund from C. C. Merrill for advance for 1921		200.00
Received 514 remittances from 169 churches as contributions		82,660.59
		$91,366.77

Disbursements

Notes paid		$ 3000.00
Salary C. C. Merrill (reimbursed by V. D. M. S.)		758.44
Expenses 1920 Drive (all but $30.19 refunded)		4583.97
Envelopes supplied churches (refunded)		9.52
Office supplies and stationery since Jan. 1st		59.32
Clerical service since Jan. 1st		15.00
C. C. Merrill, advance on expenses 1921-22 Campaign (which has been refunded)		200.00
Contributions forwarded:		
Congregational World Movement		$52,932.29
Regular Apportionment:		
American Board	$8,417.73	
Vt. Domestic Missionary Society and Cong. Home M. S.	6,669.31	
Woman's Board	3,406.05	
Woman's Home Missionary Union	3,316.95	
American Missionary Assn.	3,224.15	
Congregational Church Building Society	1,934.12	
Congregational S. S. Extension Society	827.89	
Congregational Education Society	1440.00	
Fairbanks Board of Ministerial Relief and Cong. Board M. R.	497.54	
		$29,733.74

Total C. W. M. and Regular Apportionment	$82,666.03
Pilgrim Memorial Fund	1.00
Vermont Bible Society	7.86
Total disbursements	$82,674.89
Cash on hand	65.63
	$91,366.77

Respectfully submitted,
(Signed) B. E. BRISTOL, Treasurer

Audited and approved May 10, 1921.
(Signed) G. RAYMOND STIMETS, Auditor

The following addresses were delivered on the general subject, "The Practicability of Christian Faith and Character":

"A Manufacturer's View," Ralph E. Flanders, Springfield.

"A University Professor's View," Prof. George G. Groat, Burlington.

"A Newspaper Man's View," Wallace H. Gilpin, Barton.

"A Student's View," Mrs. Pearl R. Wasson, Burlington.

"In International Relations," Prof. Everett Skillings, Middlebury.

Music was furnished by the Straight College quartet.

George E. MacIlwain, of the Labor Department, Babson's Statistical Organization, Boston, delivered an address on "The Application of Religious Ideals to Industry."

Meditation and prayer service was conducted by Rev. Vincent Ravi-Booth of Bennington.

Adjourned.

WEDNESDAY EVENING SERVICE

The evening service was called to order by the President at 7.30 P. M.

Secretary C. C. Merrill reported on the progress of the Congregational World Movement canvass to date: that 125 churches or 62½% of those assigned quotas had reported subscriptions of $78,614 or 60% of the State's quota, Union Association having subscribed the largest percentage (85%).

Rev. W. A. McIntire, for the special Committee on National Council Delegates, reported as follows:

"The special committee appointed to consider the whole question of state representation at the National Council to be held in Los Angeles, recommends as follows:

First, that in the interest of Congregational co-operation it would be unwise to request from the National Council Vermont's quota of Council money for rebating railroad fares of delegates and to apply the whole amount in aid of one delegate.

Second, that the Associations put forth every effort to send delegates, and when possible, to pool their funds for a joint representation.

Third, that the Conference recommend that the Board of Directors appropriate the sum of Three Hundred Dollars ($300.00) to send Rev. C. C. Merrill to the National Council."

(Signed)

C. C. ADAMS
R. A. HAMILTON
W. A. McINTIRE
Committee

The report was accepted and adopted.

Scriptures were read and prayer offered by Rev. George G. Ross of South Hero.

Music for the evening was furnished by the choir of the First Congregational Church of Vergennes and the quartet from Straight College, New Orleans, La.

The following addresses were delivered:

"The Christian Adventure," Rev. Clement G. Clarke, Springfield.

"The Church and Her Men," Rev. William Horace Day, Bridgeport, Conn.

The session was closed by a service of Meditation and Prayer conducted by Rev. Vincent Ravi-Booth, Bennington.

Adjourned.

THURSDAY MORNING SESSION

Session was called to order by the President.

Devotional service was conducted by Rev. J. J. Hutchinson of Barton.

The recommendation of the Board of Directors regarding a Treasurer of Benevolences was taken from the table and adopted unanimously, the Constitution being thereby amended as follows:

In Article IV, Section 1, the words "Treasurer of Benevolences" were added after the word "Treasurer" so that the first sentence of said Section reads as follows:

"The Officers of the Conference shall be a President, Vice-President, Secretary, Treasurer, Treasurer of Benevolences, one or more Auditors of Accounts, and a Board of Directors."

By the adoption of this recommendation the Conference further provided that the Committee on Nominations should bring in a nomination for an Auditor of Accounts whose duty it should be to audit the account of the Treasurer of Benevolences.

The Committee on Nominations further reported as follows:

Treasurer of Benevolences—Benjamin E. Bristol, Burlington.

Auditor of Benevolences—G. Raymond Stimets, Burlington.

Essex County Receiver and Reporter—Mrs. Erwin Balch, Lunenburg.

Director at Large—Miles S. Sawyer, Rutland.

The report was accepted and adopted.

The Business Committee, reporting on the recommendations of the Treasurer of Fairbanks Board of Education, moved that Rule No. 4 (as amended June 1876) read as follows:

It is ordered that the Trustees appointed under the preceding Rules be authorized to settle with the Executors of the Will of Mr. Fairbanks by receiving the notes of E. & T. Fairbanks and Company as cash, and as fast as they shall receive the proceeds of these notes, the Trustees shall invest the same only upon the security of unencumbered real estate worth twice the amount so secured thereon, exclusive of buildings, or in United States Gov-

ernment Bonds, or in State, City, or Town Bonds of unquestioned validity and value, or in corporated bonds which are legal investments for Savings Banks under the laws of Vermont.

The motion was carried by a two-thirds vote of the Conference.

Rev. James B. Sargent, Northfield, presented for the Business Committee, the following resolutions which were unanimously adopted:

We, the members of the Vermont Congregational Conference, assembled in Vergennes in the final session of our One Hundred Twenty-Sixth Annual Meeting, mindful of the ideal conditions under which this meeting of the Conference has been held, and recognizing the sources of our obligation, do extend our most hearty thanks to the officers of this Conference, its program committee and speakers for the full fruitage of their efforts which has given us the bountiful and well arranged feast of reason and inspiration we have enjoyed; to the pastor, entertainment committee, members of this historic church and its sister, the Baptist church, and the householders of this ancient city, who one and all, by their care of our every need, have conspired to make our stay in this spot of beauty, a delight that is destined to become a pleasant memory; to the choir of this church and the quartet from Straight College who have added to the sessions of this Conference that final something whose effect makes perfection. In conclusion we would make declaration of our belief that this meeting of our Conference will be remembered as one of our most notable gatherings.

It was voted that the Scribe complete the Minutes of this Conference as soon as possible after adjournment.

It was moved by Secretary C. C. Merrill in behalf of the Board of Directors that one cent be added to the already ordered eleven cents per capita contribution making a twelve cent contribution for each member. The motion was carried.

Moved that the Executive Committee of the Conference be authorized to fill any vacancy in the State Conference delegation to the National Council. This motion was carried.

It was ordered that the total registration be incorporated in the report of the Conference Roll.

The two addresses of this session were as follows:

"The Message of the Pulpit in 1921," Rev. Francis A. Poole, St. Johnsbury.

(This address was followed by a brief open forum).

"Our Mayflower in the Winter's Desperate Sea," Rev. William Horace Day, Bridgeport, Conn.

The Minutes and Roll were read and corrected.

The Conference closed with prayer and benediction by Rev. Charles H. Merrill.

(Signed)

EDWARD G. FRENCH, President
LELAND G. CHASE, Scribe
ROLLO A. HAMILTON, Ass't Scribe

REPORT OF STATISTICAL SECRETARY

VERMONT CONGREGATIONALISM IN 1920

An agreeable innovation in the printed program of this meeting is the historical memorandum of the origin and early history of Vergennes. It is odd that in the 126 years of the existence of this organization of our state churches its annual meeting has been held but three times in this city, great in age if not in size, which has for all these years possessed a flourishing church of our order. The first two Vergennes meetings, in 1811 and 1838, were of the "General Convention of Congregational and Presbyterian Ministers of the State of Vermont," a purely ministerial body. By the time of the last meeting, held in 1859, the name had become the "General Convention of Congregational Ministers and Churches in Vermont," and of the 54 delegates elected by ministerial associations, conferences, and consociations, 11 were laymen. Naturally none of these now survives.

The necrology of our deceased ministers contains the name of one who passed directly from his Vermont work to the other life—William R. Price, the whole ten years of whose devoted and successful ministry were spent in this state. Of all those connected with our Vermont ministry the one of longest service is Azel W. Wild, ten years corresponding secretary of the Conference, historian of the early days of our churches, 28 years in the pastorate in Vermont. Next in length of service is Leonard B. Tenney, 17 years with Vermont churches. Charles E. Hitchcock was 16 years in two Vermont pastorates, with an interval between them. George F. Wright's ten years in a Vermont parish were followed by a long career as geologist and educator. J. Alphonso Belanger was ten years in Vermont. Homer W. Hildreth served Vermont churches for nine years. William R. Edwards supplied one of our Welsh churches for nine years while living across the New York border. Charles H. Dutton was seven years with Vermont churches, J. Christopher Williams,

George E. Martin, Frank F. Lewis, and Thomas Simms each five years. Edward P. Stone's four years' service began over fifty years ago, Benjamin W. Pond had three Vermont years in the 60's, while Edward P. Kimball, who had completed more than a century of life, began his ministry with a year's pastorate in Vermont more than seventy years ago. Frederick W. Holden and Henry P. Lamprey had each two-year pastorates in our state, and Leroy M. Pierce one year. Natives of Vermont whose ministerial service was elsewhere are Edson J. Moore, born in Chelsea; Charles A. White, in Wardsboro; Burton S. Gilman, in Stockbridge; R. Albert Goodwin, in Groton; Austin Hazen, in Norwich; James B. Chase, in Woodstock.

The number of churches appearing in the tables is now 213, two fewer than last year. The merger of the Second church in Brookfield with the First church in that town was chronicled in last year's report. Wolcott has finally disappeared from the roll, its name being retained last year until the title to its house of worship should be transferred to the Vermont Domestic Missionary Society. There are some other names long carried on the roll but representing no actual life or promise of renewal which the present year may see finally removed. The present legislature has passed an act that may help to bring this about.

A query was raised last year as to the status of our church at Stowe since the organization of the "community church" which seemed to embrace the membership of its three component elements. It now appears that the three original churches still exist, but are not functioning, the "community church" as a "holding company" taking over all the activities. The Congregational church accordingly appears in the tables only for the record of membership and benevolences, the gifts for denominational objects being apparently assigned to the respective units. This is something very different from federation as we have known it.

As to federation, the following unions have been formed during the present year: with the Baptist church at Grafton, and with Methodist churches at Pawlet, Lowell, and Franklin; the last named having just become effective. A few of the federa-

tions previously reported appear to have lapsed, temporarily or permanently, but most are in successful operation.

These federations reduce the number of vacant pulpits, but this number is too large at the best, and makes a situation difficult to meet. There are now but fifteen installed pastors, one fewer than last year. Three councils have been held for ordination, one for recognition, one for installation, and two for dismissal.

One task of this report is to interpret the annual statistics, which will appear in due time in the Year-Book and in the Minutes of this body. Bear in mind that these are in all cases for the calendar year which ended at the close of last December. There is a loss of membership of 43, the present total being 23040. But the additions by confession, 928, have been excelled but once in twenty-five years, and the total additions, 1673, not since the revival days of 1876. The additions by letter, 745, are surpassed only in the report of 1907, when the same cause greatly swelled their number—the merger of two churches. The removals by death, 451, are somewhat more than usual, and the removals by letter, 710, are much increased by the same merger, that at Brookfield. But the loss in membership is clearly caused by the removal by revision of 555 names, many more than ever before, through the new zeal for clearing the roll by the removal of absent and unresponsive members. This was manifest in a somewhat smaller degree the year before. One church has thus removed 126 names. The removals by letter have also been largely increased by the same movement. The number of non-resident members has in this way been reduced from 6650 to 6451, so that there is an increase in resident membership of 156,—a highly encouraging showing.

The additions by confession were to 114 churches, and those by letter also to 114, thus distributing the additions more generally than is often the case. Sixty-eight churches had no additions. The following received ten or more by confession: St. Johnsbury North, 60; Barre, 53; Rutland, 42; Lyndonville, 38; Burlington First, 33; Jericho First, 32; Montpelier, 27; Springfield, 21; Bennington Second, 20; Swanton, 19; Randolph, St.

Johnsbury South, and South Hero, 18 each; Danville, 16; Wells River, St. Albans, and Westminster, 14 each; Bennington First, 13; Glover, Newbury, and Weybridge, 12 each; Burlington College St. and West Rutland, 11 each; Bradford, Cornwall, East Hardwick, Newport, South Royalton, and Waterbury, 10 each.

The loss in Sunday school membership still continues, the total being 421 less than last year. There is a slight gain of 18 in membership of young people's societies, and a loss of six in membership of men's and boys' organizations.

Again we derive great encouragement from the figures of benevolence. The Year-Book will say that the total gifts from Vermont for Congregational benevolence amount to $80,722. To this should be added $6691 assigned by the officials in charge of the Congregational World Movement to Congregational objects not coming under the regular societies, so that $87,413 is really the sum contributed from this state to Congregational missionary and educational work. This is a gain of 85½% over 1919. Including a small amount assigned to undenominational objects, there had been paid into the treasury of the Congregational World Movement before January 1, $35,513. As the year of pledges did not expire until May 1, a large amount on the pledges of 1920 should have been paid since January 1. Adding to the above sum other amounts for other Congregational objects and undenominational gifts, and $19,291 for the Pilgrim Memorial Fund, the entire reported gifts from Vermont for 1920 were $128,892,—a record which gives no cause for shame.

Home expenses at $307,783 show an increase over the preceding year of $35,400. Legacies to the amount of $19,523 were received by 31 churches. The churches hold invested funds to the amount of $698,404, an increase of $10,026. Church property is now appraised at $2,650,955, an increase of $88,255.

The items that follow have to do with the year ending with the date of this meeting, and not with the calendar year 1920. The high cost of labor and material has prevented many churches from entering upon repairs that could be postponed. And yet the First church of Burlington has expended $13,000 upon its property, much the largest item of the year. Next in size is

probably $2300 expended at Richmond for extensive repairs upon the parsonage. The new parsonage at West Newbury is completed, and is now occupied. Other churches making repairs upon church property are Ludlow, Johnson, Brookfield, Bakersfield, Lyndonville, Franklin, and Guildhall. It is interesting to note year by year that the coming of a new pastor connotes the refitting of the parsonage. Northfield has installed an electric motor for its organ. Hardwick has purchased a house for a parsonage.

Each year sees a number of churches the recipients of legacies or substantial gifts from the living. Among such not before noted are the following: legacies of $1000 each to Hinesburg and Newfane; a gift of $1000 to Northfield, the income to be used in the care of the grounds and lawn about the meeting house; a gift of $1000 to Eden, as a fund in memory of a deceased deacon; at Bakersfield, a legacy of $600 and another of $200; at Westminster West, a legacy of $500 to pay the arrears on the building of a new parsonage; at Lyndon, a gift of $500 for a new organ, from a former resident, in memory of his father; a gift of $200 to Benson by descendants of the first pastor; a gift to Glover of $200 as a fund in memory of a recently deceased organist; a gift of $250 to the ladies' society of Chelsea as a fund; at Hyde Park, the gift of a marble baptismal font in memory of a fallen hero of the World War.

The observance of three anniversaries is noted,—the centennial at East Berkshire in July last, and the centennial at Strafford in November, and at West Brattleboro the 150th anniversary in December, with a two days' celebration, in which former pastors and the ministers of the county had a large part.

Various items of church annals and methods not readily classified are noted. Post Mills has fostered a country fair for two successive years, and West Fairlee under the same pastor a farmers' picnic with similar features. At East Charleston, moving pictures have been used in the Sunday evening services, employing only Biblical subjects. Richmond attacks the problem of the Sunday evening service by a series of varied programs, musical, literary, stereoptical, etc. Chester had a mission study

class for six weeks with varying methods. Newport presented the Pilgrim Pageant in December. At East Hardwick since October a reading room has been maintained in the chapel, open to the whole community and supported by it, also a community library of 220 volumes. Both were much used during the winter. At Bennington Second, three churches co-operating, a school of missions was a second time held for six weeks in October and November, followed by a Sunday evening forum for eight weeks in union with the Baptist church, with distinguished speakers on vital current questions. It is the local conviction that these events were distinctly worth while. At Springfield there are several noteworthy items. A men's class has been formed under the pastor's leadership, with an enrollment of 100 and an attendance from 30 to 60. Four successful men's meetings have been held, with an attendance from 80 to 150, with a speaker from outside and refreshments. The Interchurch World Survey has been studied at the mid-week service. On Sunday evening, union, or community, services have been held, in summer in the open square and the rest of the year in a theater. The four ministers of the town take turns in speaking, and the audiences have been large, including many who do not attend the more formal church services. From Windsor Association comes the cheering note that nearly all the churches report increase in attendance.

The fourth annual convocation at Middlebury in September was a source of much intellectual and spiritual uplift to the ministers who attended, and through them to their parishes. The systematic pastoral evangelism fostered by this meeting and other forms of team work have largely superseded the evangelism of the older type. Rarely now is there noted the employment by our churches of the visiting evangelist. A nearly solitary instances this year is at Colchester, where the federated churches had evangelistic meetings in January under Rev. T. E. Richards, both churches receiving a large number of additions as a result. Mr. French as pastor-at-large has been very helpful in several communities in assistance to the pastor in evangelistic work. The Lenten season has been largely employed for pastoral evan-

gelism, and large additions at Easter and in May will be manifest in the statistics gathered at the close of the year.

Hindrances have been many in the work of the year. In some quarters there is real ground for discouragement at the outlook. But on the whole the results of faithful labor are apparent, and optimism prevails. The topic of the spring Association meetings calling for an increase of laborers is timely, and seems to voice the greatest need of the hour. May it meet with the response it deserves!

JOHN M. COMSTOCK
Statistical Secretary

OBITUARIES

Note. These obituary notices are intended to include the names of all former pastors of our churches whose deaths have been reported during the Conference year, and to mention more briefly Congregational ministers born in the state who have never held pastorates here.

Rev. Joseph Alphonso Belanger, born in Quebec, Que., October 9, 1857. Studied in the English course at Oberlin Seminary, 1893-5. Pastor, Pittsfield, Ohio, 1894-5, being ordained there May 22, 1894; Brookline, N. H., 1895-9. Pastor at Wallingford, June 1899 to June 1902; at Wells River, June 1902 to November 1909. Pastor, Paterson, N. J., 1909-13; Spring Valley, N. Y., 1913 until his death at Woodridge, N. J., September 11, 1920, of apoplexy. A widow and three children survive.

Rev. Charles Henry Dutton, born in Shirley, Mass., January 26, 1865. Amherst College, 1887; in Hartford Seminary, 1887-9, but graduated from Oberlin Seminary, 1910. Acting pastor at Bethel, June 1887 to June 1888; pastor, Ashland, Mass., 1889-92, being ordained there February 24, 1890; Wilton, N. H., 1892-9. Pastor at New Haven, July 1900 to May 1906. Pastor, Watertown, N. Y., 1906-9; in Oberlin Seminary, 1909-10; East Cleveland, O., 1910-11; Kane, Pa., 1911-15; South Natick, Mass., 1915-18; treasurer of Lincoln Inst., Lincoln Ridge, Ky., from 1918 until his death, June 11, 1920, from basilar meningitis, leaving a widow and two children. Received degree of D. D. from Penn College, Iowa, in 1913.

Rev. William Robert Edwards, born in Park, Bala, Wales, September 19, 1858. Bala College, 1881. Ordained January 10,

1881, and held pastorates in Wales. Came to America in April 1896. Pastor, Welsh churches at Granville, N. Y., and West Pawlet, April 1897 to March 1906; Tabernacle church, Scranton, Pa., 1906 until his death, February 23, 1921, of nephritis and pneumonia.

Rev. Homer Wesley Hildreth, born in New York city,, August 24, 1871. Union Seminary, 1897. Pastor at Albany, May 1897 to November 1899, being ordained there June 16, 1897; at Rochester from November 1899, being installed August 22, 1900, and dismissed November 4, 1906. Pastor, Prospect, Conn., 1906-9; Cromwell, Conn., 1909-19; Enfield, Conn., 1919 until his death at Hartford, Conn., October 28, 1920, leaving a widow and two children.

Rev. Charles Edward Hitchcock, born in Hudson, O., June 29, 1859. Western Reserve University, 1883; Yale Divinity School, 1886. Ordained in Pres. church, April 11, 1888. Pastor, Cuyahoga Falls, O., 1889-91; graduate student, Yale Divinity School, 1891-2. Pastor at Benson, March 1893 to April 1903; Claridon, O., 1903-8; Bath, N. H., 1908-12; North Pownal, January 1913 to July 1919. Lived thereafter at Cuyahoga Falls, O., until his death, May 4, 1921, of pneumonia, leaving a widow and two sons.

Rev. Frederick Augustus Holden, born in Fitchburg, Mass., August 12, 1854. Amherst College, 1878; Hartford Seminary, 1883. Acting pastor, Windham, Conn., 1883-4; resident licentiate, Andover Seminary, 1884-5; pastor, Barrington, N. H., 1885-9, being ordained there September 18, 1885; Granby, Mass., 1889-91; West Peabody, Mass., 1892-5; Buckingham, Conn., 1895-6; Burlington, Conn., 1896-8; Morris, Conn., 1898-1903; Huntington, Conn., 1903-9; Preston, Conn., 1909-11. Pastor at New Haven, June 1911 to October 1913; Salmon Falls, N. H., 1917-18. Died in Melrose Highlands, Mass., November 22, 1920, leaving a widow and seven children.

Rev. Edward Pickett Kimball, born in Bath, N. H., July 25, 1819. Bangor Seminary, 1850. Acting pastor at Walden, 1851-2. Pastor, Halifax, Mass., 1852-4, being ordained there December 8, 1852; Chiltonville, Mass., 1855-6; Newton, Iowa; Wilton, Iowa; Monticello, Iowa, 1861-3; Blairstown, Iowa, 1866-7. Home at Monticello, Iowa, 1872-88, and thereafter at Waterloo, Iowa, where he died June 6, 1920, of old age, leaving two children.

Rev. Henry Phelps Lamprey, born in Groton, N. H., November 2, 1832. Dartmouth College, 1862; theology at New Hampton Institution, 1864-6. Pastor, Free Baptist church, Phillips, Me., 1866-8, being ordained there May 30, 1867; Wilmot, N. H., 1868-71; Brunswick, Me., 1871-2; East Corinth, Me., 1872-3; South Parsonsfield, Me., 1873-6; Northwood, N. H., 1876-8 Pastor, Congregational church, West Stewartstown, N. H., 1879-80; Danbury, N. H., 1880-2; Acworth, N. H., 1885-7. Pastor, Lower Waterford, 1887-9; Ossipee Center, N. H., 1889-91. Home thereafter at Concord, N. H., where he died January 17, 1921, of old age, leaving a widow and two daughters.

Rev. Frank Fales Lewis, born in Stillman Valley, Ill., November 11, 1861. Beloit College, 1884; Yale Divinity School, 1888. Ordained pastor at Putney, November 2, 1888; dismissed, March 5, 1893; also at Dummerston, 1888-90; Hardwick, December 1893 to June 1898. Pastor, Holdrege, Neb., 1898-1901; Syracuse, Neb., 1901-4; St. Charles, Ill., 1905-7; Chillicothe, Ill., 1907-9; Endeavor, Wis., 1909-12; New Richmond, Wis., 1912-14; Metropolis, Ill., 1914-17; Tonica, Ill., 1918-20; Cornwall, Ill., 1920. Died at Geneseo, Ill., July 7, 1920, leaving a widow and three sons.

Rev. George Edward Martin, born in Norwich, Conn., January 27, 1851. Yale College, 1872; Yale Divinity School, 1878. Pastor at Brattleboro from July 1878, being ordained pastor July 9, 1897, and dismissed September 6, 1883. Pastor, First church Brockton, Mass., 1883-4; First Presbyterian church, St. Louis, Mo., 1884-98; Holland Memorial church, Philadelphia, Pa., 1898-

1901; Kirk St. church, Lowell, Mass., 1902-9; Lexington, Mass., 1911-14. Home then at Auburndale, Mass., but supplied for some time the church at Fairhaven, Mass., where he died November 15, 1920, of apoplexy, leaving a widow. Received degree of D. D. from Wabash College, 1895.

Rev. Leroy Matthew Pierce, born at Olney, Ill., January 14, 1842. Home from childhood in Londonderry, Vt. Middlebury College, 1866; Andover Seminary, 1869. Pastor, Glenwood, Mo., 1869-71, where he was ordained February 4, 1870; Bernardston, Mass., 1872-83; Blackstone, Mass., 1884-96; Medfield, Mass., 1897-1909; Guildhall, Vt., June 1910 to April 1911. Resided in Boston, 1911-16; Medfield, Mass., 1916-18; Springfield, Mass., 1918-20; Londonderry, Vt., 1920 till his death, of apoplexy, March 1, 1921.

Rev. Benjamin Wisner Pond, born in Bangor, Me., March 26, 1836. Bowdoin College, 1857; Bangor Seminary, 1861. Pastor at Barton, from October 1861, being ordained pastor January 28, 1862, and dismissed October 5, 1864. With Freedman's Relief Association in Washington, D. C., and N. C., 1864-6. Pastor, Charlemont, Mass., 1867-70; York, Me., 1870-3. Examiner in Patent Office, Washington, D. C., 1873-1913. Home from 1873 to 1892 at Falls Church, Va., where he often preached; in Washington thereafter. Engaged in Chinese mission work in Washington over 20 years. Died in Washington, March 1, 1921, leaving a son and three daughters.

Rev. William Ross Price, born in Quebec, Que., July 20, 1859. In Y. M. C. A. work for 15 years. Acting pastor at East Charleston, August 1908 to May 1910, and February 1911 to November 1914, being ordained January 13, 1914; West Charleston, December 1914 to December 1917; (also Morgan, August 1908 to May 1910 and February 1911 to March 1916); East Berkshire, January 1918 until his death, at St. Albans, September 24, 1920, after a surgical operation. A widow survives.

Rev. Thomas Simms, born in Bath, England, May 17, 1854. Wesleyan University, 1883. Ordained in M. E. church, July 17, 1887, and held pastorates in that denomination. Pastor, Greenville church, Norwich, Conn., 1888-91; South Manchester, Conn., 1891-1900; Middlebury, Vt., February 1901 to October 1906; Braintree, Mass., 1906-11; Gorham, Me., 1911-18; Ipswich, Mass., 1918 until his death, August 27, 1920, of cancer of the bladder. A widow and four children survive.

Rev. Edward Payson Stone, born in Hartford, August 1, 1830. Middlebury College, 1853. Ordained at Montpelier, October 14, 1861. Chaplain 6th Vt. Volunteers, 1861-3. Pastor, Centerville, Mass., 1863-5; agent of A. M. A. at Boston, 1865-9. Pastor, Lower Waterford, January 1870 to May 1871; Essex, September 1871 to August 1874, and at Underhill also from November 1871. Pastor, Pembroke, N. H., 1875-7; Center Harbor, N. H., 1877-9; Colebrook, N. H., 1879-81. Then for some years general missionary of the C. H. M. S. in Michigan, living at Lapeer; finally lived at Rutland, where he died September 11, 1920.

Rev. Leonard Baker Tenney, born in Jaffrey, N. H., September 12, 1854. Dartmouth College, 1875; Union Seminary, 1881. Missionary of V. D. M. S. at Warren, May 1878 to May 1879. Ordained at Barre, April 14, 1882; pastor, Tucson, Ariz., 1882-4. Pastor at North Troy, April 1885 to April 1887; Jeffersonville and Waterville, May 1887 to January 1890; Essex, March 1890 to November 1899, preaching also at Jericho First to June 1892; South Hero and Grand Isle, November 1899 to January 1902. Pastor at Harrisville and Nelson, N. H., 1902-4; Niantic, Conn., 1904-5; Scotland, Conn., 1906-13; Bristol, Me., 1913-16; South Portland, Me., 1916-19; Bartlett, N. H., 1919 until his death, May 18, 1920, of edema of the larynx. A widow survives.

Rev. Azel Washburn Wild, born in Brookfield, June 12, 1836. Middlebury College, 1857; Andover Seminary, 1862. Acting pastor at Pittsfield, March 1862 to March 1864; pastor at Greensboro from May 1864, being ordained October 26, 1864, and dismissed October 14, 1873; installed at Peacham, January 22, 1874, and dismissed December 21, 1881; pastor at Charlotte, July 1882

to January 1890; Elizabethtown, N. Y., 1890-8. Corresponding Secretary Vermont Congregational Conference, 1880-90. Author of "Early History of Congregationalism in Vermont" (in MS.) Home for some years at Cambridgeport, until his death from uremia January 7, 1921. Three children survive, one being Rev. Edward W. Wild, late pastor at Westminster.

Rev. John Christopher Williams, born in Carmarthen, Wales, December 27, 1852. Clifton College, England. Pastor at Orlando, Fla., 1890-4, being ordained there February 23, 1890; Eden, Fla., 1894-5; Linden church, Malden, Mass., 1895-1902; Woodville, N. Y., 1902-3; South Brewer, Me., 1903-7. Pastor at Orwell, September 1907 to July 1913. Pastor, Waldoboro, Me., 1913-17; Dennis, Mass., 1917 until his death in Boston, September 25, 1920. A widow survives.

Rev. George Frederick Wright, born in Whitehall, N. Y., January 22, 1838. Oberlin College, 1859; Oberlin Seminary, 1862. Pastor at Bakersfield from September 1862; ordained there August 25, 1863; installed, January 16, 1866; dismissed, May 14, 1872. Pastor Free church, Andover, Mass., 1872-81. Professor New Testament Language and Literature, Oberlin Seminary, 1881-92; of Harmony of Science and Revelation, 1892 till decease. Received degree of D. D. from Brown University in 1887, and of LL. D. from Drury College in 1887. Died at Oberlin, Ohio, April 20, 1921.

Rev. James Balloch Chase, born in Woodstock, August 12, 1837; died in Russell, Iowa, June 9, 1919.

Rev. Burton Smith Gilman, born in Stockbridge, May 15, 1864; died in Gardner, Mass., October 20, 1920.

Rev. Reuben Albert Goodwin, born in Groton, September 19, 1880; died in Hardwick, Mass., November 23, 1920.

Rev. Austin Hazen, born in Norwich, September 20, 1865; died in Thomaston, Conn., March 13, 1921.

Rev. Edson Joiner Moore, born in Chelsea, February 28, 1828; died in Norfolk, Mass., May 29, 1920.

Rev. Charles Abner White, born in Wardsboro, November 2, 1842; died in Poughkeepsie, N. Y., September 5, 1920.

MINISTERIAL ASSOCIATIONS

I. ADDISON ASSOCIATION

June 15, 1808. Rev. W. F. Frazier, Registrar. Meets third Tuesday of January, March September and November, and second Tuesday of May

II. BENNINGTON ASSOCIATION

February 1, 1812. Last Tuesday of January May, and September.

III. CALEDONIA UNION

January 10, 1811. Robert Clark, Scribe. Third Tuesday of January, March, May, September, and November.

IV. LAMOILLE ASSOCIATION

June 1, 1858. (This Association is dormant, having held no meeting since 1913)

V. MONTPELIER UNION

January 9, 1827. (No meetings have been held since 1915.)

VI. NORTHWESTERN ASSOCIATION

June 15, 1808. F. W. Day, Scribe. Third Tuesday of January, second Tuesday of May, and fourth Tuesday of September.

VII. ORANGE AND WHITE MOUNTAIN ASSOCIATION

October 17, 1801 (Orange); June 8, 1881 (White Mountain); united, November 5, 1901. Donald Fraser, Scribe. First Tuesday of February, May, September, and November.

VIII. ORLEANS UNION

June 17, 1823. Scribe. Third Tuesday of January, May and September.

IX. RUTLAND ASSOCIATION

1788. W. A. McIntire, Registrar. Second Tuesday of February, May, September, and December

X. WHITE RIVER ASSOCIATION

October 14, 1845. Second Tuesday of January, March, September, and November.

XI. WINDHAM-UNION ASSOCIATION

October 17, 1775. A. V. Woodworth, Scribe. First Monday of October, December, April, and June.

XII. WINOOSKI ASSOCIATION

June 9, 1847. S. G. Barnes, Scribe. First Monday of February, April, June, October, and December.

STATISTICS

VERMONT.

CONGREGATIONAL CONFERENCE. Organized 1795. OFFICERS: Rev. Edward G. French, Johnson, president; Rev. Charles C. Merrill, 83 Brookes Ave., Burlington, secretary; John M. Comstock, Chelsea, statistical secretary; Frederick W. Baldwin, Barton, treasurer. SESSION OF 1921: Vergennes, May 10–12.

CHURCHES			CHURCH CLERKS	PASTORS			MEMBERS				ADMITTED			REMOVED				BAPT.		FAM.
Cities or Towns	Org.	Erctd		Names	Ord.	Cld.	Ma.	Fe.	To.	Ab.	Conf.	Let.	To.	Dth.	Let.	Rev	To.	Ad.	Inf.	
1 Albany,	1818	1867	Mrs. Delia H. Honey,				6	16	22	9	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	25
2 Alburg, Springs, **R.F.D.**	1824	1854					1	4	5	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
3 " Union,	1910	1912	Mrs. Winfield W. Stiles,	[J. Harold G. Way, *M.E.*]		'19	13	27	40	15	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	40
4 Andover, **Simonsville**	1893	1850	Mrs. Alice E. Chase,	[* Elmer H. Stevens, *Bapt.*][bb]	'99	'19	5	7	12	10	0	0	0	2	0	0	2	0	0	30
5 Arlington, **East**	1843	1843	Mrs. Ella A. Grout,	Mabel T. Winch,	'14	'10	24	52	76	23	3	2	5	0	1	0	1	0	5	77
6 Bakersfield,	1811	1849	Winfred O. Start,	William C. Clark,	'91	'20	36	69	105	39	5	2	7	1	2	0	3	6	1	50
7 Barnet, **McIndoe Falls**	1829	1850	M. Carleton Rodgers,	Charles B. Bliss,	'03	'14	27	74	101	37	0	0	0	2	3	0	5	0	3	100
8 "	1858	1854	Miss Edith H. Wallace,	Arthur E. Gregg,	'07	'19	44	65	109	52	6	10	16	1	3	5	9	4	2	116
9 Barre,	1799	1841	Leonard R. Hutchinson,	Frank L. Goodspeed,	'87	'18	124	324	448	64	53	32	85	12	12	21	45	9	8	360
10 " **East**	1894	1896	Mrs. Jennie A. Blanchard,	James Ramage, **Barre,**	'85	'11	12	38	50	13	0	4	4	1	0	0	1	0	2	50
11 Barton,	1817	1874	Mrs. Aftan S. Brooks,	* James J. Hutchinson,	'06	'19	46	127	173	40	5	3	8	3	3	0	6	2	0	125
12 Bennington, 1st,	1762	1805	Albert W. Varney,	Vincent Ravi-Booth,	'01	'19	28	77	105	25	13	5	18	3	5	0	8	5	0	65
13 " 2d,	1836	1873	Philip T. H. Pierson,	George S. Mills, *i.*	'95	'04	150	318	468	110	20	5	25	4	10	14	28	6	9	300
14 " **North,**	1868	1873	Harrie C. White,	William R. Hamlin,	'05	'17	37	71	108	21	2	0	2	1	0	0	1	2	2	92
15 Benson,	1790	1842	Miss F. B. Dickinson,				44	46	90	23	2	0	2	2	4	0	6	2	0	74
16 Berkshire, **East,**	1820	1822	Homer F. Comings,	Pliny H. Fisk,	'85	'20	34	61	95	40	1	0	1	3	0	0	3	1	2	48
17 " 2d,	1905	1906	Mrs. H. C. Cassidy,[e]	* Richard A. Burn,[cc]	'20	'20	23	28	51	14	0	0	0	0	0	3	3	0	0	35
18 Berlin,[a]	1798	1839	Mrs. Anna T. Selina,	Frank Blomfield,	'87	'10	20	31	51	13	0	2	2	3	0	2	5	0	5	60
19 Bethel,	1817	1893	Mrs. Eliza F. Miller,	[Everett L. Shaw, *Lic.*]		'20	21	47	68	17	0	7	7	0	6	0	6	0	0	66
20 Bradford,	1810	1876	Arthur F. Johnson,	James A. Lytle, *r.*	'01	'20	54	134	188	67	10	1	11	4	8	0	12	2	0	195
21 Braintree, 1st,[b]	1794	1845	Mrs. Mary O. Boyce,				6	11	17	6	0	1	1	0	1	0	1	0	0	5
22 " E. and W. Brookfield,[b]	1871	1851	Mrs. S. A. Hutchinson,	[Carl V. Woodbury, *Lic.*][dd]		'20	18	75	93	29	0	0	0	4	5	0	9	0	0	78
23 Brandon,	1785	1831	Arthur H. Gipson,	Walter Thorpe,	'03	'15	88	162	250	65	4	5	9	0	5	0	5	0	0	150
24 Brattleboro, 1st, **West,**	1770	1846	Charles R. Prentiss,	* Arthur V. Woodworth,	'01	'16	82	116	198	59	9	3	12	0	3	0	3	5	1	95
25 " Center,	1816	1815	Walter A. Gilbert,	Herbert P. Woodin, *i.*	'92	'19	186	406	592	125	8	13	21	8	11	0	19	4	10	375
26 " *Swedish,*	1894	1894	Mrs. Walfred Larson,	Anders O. Peterson,	'95	'15	16	25	41	4	2	0	2	0	2	0	2	0	6	12
27 Bridgewater,	1793	1880	Mrs. Frank S. Taylor,	Miles E. Bacon,	'80	'21	9	36	45	18	4	8	12	2	1	0	3	4	0	75
28 Bridport,	1790	1852	Merrill T. Wolcott,	Hervey Gulick,	'79	'17	28	64	92	23	0	0	0	4	2	0	6	0	0	70
29 Brighton, **Island Pond,**	1841	1854	Claude S. Foster,	Thomas Hall, *pem. i.*[ee]	'66	'90	33	71	104	32	7	8	15	3	3	1	7		4	70
30 Bristol, Federated,	1898	1900	Mrs. Lena M. R. Denio,	[Fred M. Hagadorn, *M.E.*]		'20	10	38	48	18	1	7	8	0	3	0	3	1	0	60
31 Brookfield, 1st,	1787	1847	Arthur G. Bigelow,[e]	James S. Clark,	'04	'19	62	81	143	68	3	107	110	5	26	2	33	3	1	100
32 " East,[c]	1883	1882	James C. Holmes,	* Charles E. Walsh,[aaa]	'09	'19	28	42	70	14	0	5	5	1	1	0	2	0	4	36
33 Brownington and Orleans,[d]	1809	1841	Henry B. Smith,	Rollo A. Hamilton,	'08	'16	59	169	228	68	7	5	12	8	0	0	8	6	15	210
34 Burke, Federated, **East,**	1807	1855	Miss Mary E. Harris,	[Sydney G. Suitor, *M.E.*]		'20	18	37	55	18	7	3	10	0	0	0	0	1	1	35
35 " 2d,	1906	1824					1	3	4	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	

[a] **Montpelier, R.F.D. 4.** [b] **Randolph, R.F.D. 3.** [c] **Randolph Center, R.F.D. 3.** [d] **Orleans.** [e] Enosburg Falls, R.F.D. 1. [bb] Chester.
[cc] Enosburg Falls, R.F.D. 2. [dd] Northfield. [ee] Old Orchard, Me. [aaa] Williamstown. * Serves more than one church. See summary for list.

SUNDAY SCHOOLS				CHURCH TREASURERS	GIFTS ON APPORTIONMENT (INCLUDING CONG'L WORLD MOVEMENT)										Special Congregational Contributions	Undenominational Gifts	LOCAL FINANCES			Pilgrim Memorial Fund
Superintendents	¶Members	Young People's Societies. Mem.	§Men's Organizations		A. B. C. F. M.	Woman's Foreign Bds.	Congl. Education Soc.	Congl. Church Bldg. Society	Congl. Home Miss. Soc.	Am. Miss. Association	Congl. S. S. Extension Soc.	Ministerial Relief	Totals	‡Woman's Home Federation			Home Expenses	Salaries	Value Church Property	
1	0	0	0	Mrs. Delia H. Honey,	$13	$7	$3	$5	$13	$6	$2	$1	$50	$0	$0	$0	$15	$	*$2,000	$5
2	0	0	0		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		*3,000	0
3 Mrs. F. J. Stephenson,	30	0	0	Winfield W. Stiles,	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	800	700	3,000	7
4 Mrs. Alice E. Chase,	30	0	0	Mrs. Alice E. Chase,	0	0	0	0	50	0	0	0	50	0	0	0	200	†375	1,000	10
5 Mrs. M. D. Warner, c	80	31	0	Mrs. Helen S. Webb,	27	16	5	11	33	18	2	3	115	22	13	20	926	†680	*9,000	45
6 Arthur C. Wells,	75	20	0	Mrs. Grace P. Start,	47	29	10	12	48	24	14	4	188	32	4	60	1,097	†1,200	*6,800	84
7 Miss Flora Winch,	62	40	0	M. Carleton Rodgers,	94	50	24	39	91	55	10	12	375	23	44	59	1,082	1,000	*4,500	38
8 Chester L. Somers, h	100		z16	Mrs. Emily M. Albee,	112	50	20	38	79	55	10	10	374	28	42	45	1,422	1,200	*8,000	28
9 Charles A. Spear, e	453	76	z20	Nelson B. Ballard,	266	117	70	76	331	188	36	26	1,110	139	752	153	6,368	2,700	*40,000	528
10 Mrs. N. E. Avery,	57	17	0		38	19	8	16	29	22	3	4	139	8	16	1	630	†850	2,000	15
11 Wallace H. Gilpin,	120	47	0	John F. Batchelder,	190	126	57	80	131	99	36	18	737	65	800	3	2,682	1,200	*26,000	87
12 Mrs. C. L. Holden, c	55	0	0	Miss K. J. Hubbell,	235	120	52	103	220	166	23	28	947	60	187	109	3,000	1,800	*48,000	571
13 Irving S. Cobb, e	300	20	30	Dr. Lucretius H. Ross,	689	379	150	267	571	373	69	71	2,569	200	257	400	4,750	2,400	*75,000	230
14 Clarence W. White, c	107	28	0	Mrs. C. W. White,	304	219	93	136	251	186	37	42	1,268	117	139	298	2,531	1,500	*19,500	192
15 Charles S. Aiken, e	99	0	0	Dan A. Higgins,	91	41	20	33	73	44	8	10	320	18	31	32	972	800	*10,000	26
16 Homer F. Comings,	70	20	0	Miss M. P. Anderson,	92	88	20	33	78	27	10	8	356	25	29	135	1,273	1,000	*8,000	178
17 James Williams, c	39	0	0	E. W. Gross,	15	7	4	5	14	7	1	1	54	0	2	4	473	400	3,000	0
18 Mrs. W. H. Turner,	30	0	0	S. C. Pike,	63	27	11	19	46	28	5	6	205	11	15	35	800	700	*9,500	22
19 Miss Edna Parsons, c	78	24	0	Miss Julia B. Miller,	19	10	6	8	12	11	2	2	70	4	0	46	997	900	9,000	31
20 Miss Alice E. Bacon, e	137	0	z18	Dr. Walter S. Cole,	134	70	29	49	108	93	14	14	511	64	47	3	2,400	1,600	*22,000	101
21 Clarence A. Webster,	18	0	0	Mrs. Geo. H. Adams,	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	85		*2,500	4
22 Carl E. Wakefield, e	65	25	0	Mrs. R. G. Mann,	29	15	6	6	26	11	14	3	110	0	5	8	560	400	4,000	13
23 F. N. Briggs,	85	0	0	Arthur H. Gipson,	143	74	37	47	154	80	20	15	570	102	34	2	2,500	1,800	*24,000	0
24 Arthur H. Lynde, e	106	74	z16	William E. Chase,	321	203	74	156	252	372	55	42	1,475	88	168	252	2,078	1,200	*12,000	234
25 Walter A. Gilbert, e	344	60	x157	Louis A. Whitney,	1,011	531	220	378	757	628	87	108	3,720	296	678	433	6,955	2,500	*60,000	391
26 Paul Ericson,	32	23	0	Mrs. Paul Ericson,	7	4	2	3	5	4	0	1	26	2	4		943	†912	2,500	0
27 Miss Lottie E. Manley,	45	0	0	Mrs. Lena H. Solger,	37	19	8	16	28	22	9	4	143	8	19	1			*3,500	0
28 Charles A. Pratt, e	139	0	0	Merrill T. Wolcott,	78	39	17	32	64	42	8	9	289	22	32	2	1,210	800	*17,500	45
29 A. W. Bosworth, e	120	35	0	L. F. Jones,	69	35	18	23	74	41	9	7	276	54	11	1	1,727	1,150	*10,500	67
30 Ernest Guindon,	34	0	0	Dr. W. E. Morgan,	12	11	5	6	23	10	3	1	71	23			730	1,500	5,000	6
31 Wm. E. Haggaid, h	79	20	0	George B. J. Hall,	72	27	23	37	85	49	23	10	326	58	36	62	2,000	1,200	*10,500	5
32 Robert E. Trask, e	77	28	0	James Sprague,	35	18	8	15	28	20	4	4	132	8	18	6	585	350	3,000	28
33 {A. O. Austin, {R. A. Dutton, e	310	70	0	W. J. Joslyn,	219	201	57	95	213	133	27	26	971	77	350	200	2,562	1,775	*18,000	213
34 Myron H. Gilson,	75	0	0	Miss Mary E. Harris,	35	18	8	15	27	20	4	4	131	8		25	650	1,500	6,000	213
35	0	0	0		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	18	0	0	0	2,000	0

¶ (h Includes Home Department. c Cradle Roll. e Both Home Department and Cradle Roll.) * Church has a Parsonage.
§ (x Includes both Men and Boys. z Boys only.) ‡ These amounts included in totals of Homeland Societies. † Salary includes Missionary Aid.

CHURCHES			CHURCH CLERKS	PASTORS			MEMBERS				ADMITTED			REMOVED				BAPT.		FAM.
Cities or Towns	Org.	Erctd		Names	Ord.	Cld.	Ma.	Fe.	To.	Ab.	Conf.	Let.	To.	Dth.	Let.	Rev	To.	Ad.	Inf.	
36 Burlington, 1st,	1805	1842	Roy E. Tilley,	Chauncey C. Adams, *i.*	'00	'15	320	565	885	262	33	40	73	14	19	0	33	20	9	308
37 " College st.,	1860	1865	Henry F. Perkins,	Isaac Chipman Smart, *i.*	'85	'06	105	197	302	70	11	11	22	6	9	0	15	3	0	154
38 Cabot,	1801	1850	Arthur M. Hodgdon,	* Frank L. Stacy,	'15	'21	36	73	109	25	0	0	0	5	5	0	10	0	7	85
39 Calais, **East**,	1905	1848	Dell B. Dwinell,				6	7	13	6	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	6
40 " Christian,	1916	1850					4	5	9	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
41 Cambridge, Federated,	1792	1878	Miss Hattie Hopkins,				4	15	19	9	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	50
42 " 2d,[a]	1887	1889	Mrs. Mary F. Gilmore,	Hollis M. Bartlett,	'12	'20	37	77	114	31	0	0	0	2	7	15	24	0	0	175
43 Castleton, Fed.	1784	1832	Mrs. H. L. Northrop,	Robert G. McLeod,	'05	'18	28	59	87	30	1	0	1	0	1	0	1	0	1	27
44 Charleston, Fed., **West**,	1844	1858	Mrs. Nellie E. Foster,	[* Wm. C. Johnson, *M.E.*][bb]	'93	'18	8	38	46	15	0	0	0	2	2	0	4	0	0	19
45 " **East**,	1905	1856	Miss Grace M. Barney,	[Geo. H. Dierlamm, *Lic.*]		'20	24	48	72	25	0	1	1	0	1	0	1	0	0	100
46 Charlotte,	1792	1848	Mrs. Charles M. Byington,	Frederick N. Rutan,	'87	'19	45	86	131	50	2	7	9	4	4	0	8	1	1	100
47 Chelsea,	1789	1813	Oliver E. Burgess,				42	88	130	22	1	4	5	4	4	3	11	0	1	120
48 Chester,	1773	1828	Charles E. Kimball,	William J. Ballou, Henry L. Ballou, *i. em.*,	'06 '95	'20 '95	72	154	226	72	5	16	21	6	1	0	7	3	2	120
49 Clarendon,	1822	1824	Mrs. William Weeks,[e]				9	25	34	11	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	30
50 Colchester, Federated,	1804	1838	J. Murray Wright,	[Stephen H. Talbot, *Bapt.*]	'19	'20	32	64	96	21	0	0	0	2	6	12	20	0	0	70
51 " **Winooski**,	1836	1838	Mrs. W. E. MacBride,				17	40	57	36	0	0	0	2	1	0	3	0	0	20
52 Corinth,	1820	1820	Mrs. Anna L. Hodge,	*Elisha P. Cutler,[cc]	'16	'20	10	24	34	16	0	1	1	3	1	2	6	0	0	50
53 " **East**,	1918	1840	Mrs. J. E. Jackman,	*Elisha P. Cutler,	'16	'19	18	48	66	17	0	4	4	1	1	0	2	0	10	80
54 Cornwall,[b]	1785	1803	Ira L. Hamblin,	Christopher R. Hamlin,	'99	'18	43	79	122	44	10	3	13	5	7	0	12		2	70
55 Coventry, Federated,	1810	1830	Mrs. Ella L. Bryant,	Caleb L. Rotch,	'79	'21	44	62	106	54	0	0	0	2	1	1	4	0	0	76
56 Craftsbury, **North**,	1797	1820	N. B. Williams,	Carl J. Peterson,	'93	'17	40	71	111	30	0	3	3	2	1	0	3	0	6	43
57 Danby,	1869	1838	Orson L. Greene,	* Wm. A. McIntire, *i.*	'07	'07	13	40	53	6	8	1	9	2	1	2	5	8	5	25
58 Danville,	1792	1896	Mrs. L. E. Worthen,	Chauncey A. Adams,	'11	'13	53	139	192	42	16	11	27	6	18	0	24	15	4	130
59 Derby, Federated,	1807	1849	Mrs. K. H. Kilborn,	Frank E. Davison,	'74	'19	30	32	62	25	0	0	0	1	1	3	5	0	0	40
60 Dorset,	1784	1910	Theophile E. Comba,	W. LeRoy Haven,	'13	'17	49	103	152	33	1	3	4	3	2	0	5	1	2	203
61 " **East**,	1867	1838	Miss Bertha E. Ames,	* William A. McIntire,[dd]	'07	'08	14	33	47	3	2	0	2	0	0	0	0		2	25
62 Dover, **West**,	1868	1858					‖1	8	9	6										40
63 Dummerston,[c]	1779	1842	Adin F. Miller,				13	35	48	16	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	40
64 Duxbury, **Moretown**,	1835	1855	Miss Mary S. Butler,	[* J. Cross Gray, *M.E.*]		'20	14	26	40	12	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	1	25
65 Eden,	1889	1839	Mrs. Metta C. Blake,				3	15	18	9	0	6	6	1	0	0	1	0	9	110
66 Enosburg,[d]	1811	1820	Mrs. George H. Fairbanks,	* Richard A. Burn,	'20	'20	32	48	80	25	0	2	2	3	3	2	8	0	0	30
67 Essex,	1797	1840	Mrs. Jane E. N. Greene,				9	18	27	15	0	0	0	0	3	0	3	0	0	15
68 " **Junction**,	1869	1867	Mrs. A. B. Rugg,	William Millar,	'07	'18	68	146	214	73	7	8	15	1	6	0	7	5	0	126
69 Fairfield,	1800	1839	Mrs. Harry Doane,	* H. Clay Searles,[ee]	'82	'21	7	11	18	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	15
70 " **East**,	1885	1866	Mrs. Inez Wells,	* H. Clay Searles,	'82	'21	13	27	40	5	1	0	1	3	0	0	3	0	0	40
71 Fair Haven, 1st,	1803	1892	Rev. Robert H. Ball,	Robert H. Ball,	'89	'89	56	121	177	30	0	3	3	3	3	0	6	0	3	90
72 " *Welsh*,	1853	1857	Mrs. Joseph Jones,	John David Owen, *i.*	'15	'15	19	49	68	16	0	0	0	3	0	0	3	0	1	25
73 Fairlee, Federated,	1833	1914	Olin N. Renfrew,[aa]				11	23	34	6	1	0	1	0	1	0	1	0	0	25
74 Ferrisburg,	1824	1868	Ernest De Vine,				8	23	31	11	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	45

[a] **Jeffersonville.** [b] **Middlebury, R.F.D. 2.** [c] **Putney, R.F.D. 2.** [d] **Enosburg Falls, R.F.D. 2.** [e] North Clarendon. [aa] Orford, N. H. [bb] Derby.
[cc] East Corinth. [dd] Danby. [ee] East Fairfield. ‖ Inserted by registrar from former figures. * Serves more than one church. See summary for list.

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Superintendents		¶ Mem.	Mem.	Org.	TREASURERS	A.B.C. F.M.	W. F. Bds.	C.E. S.	C.C.B. S.	C.H. M.S.	A.M. A.	C. S.S. E.S.	Min. Relief	Totals	‡W. H.Fed.			Home Exp.	Salaries	Value Ch. Property	
36 William H. Wood,	e	407	193	25	Benjamin E. Bristol,	$979	$679	$255	$358	$894	$610	$121	$88	$3,984	$577	$2463	$1759	$22811	$3,500	*$102000	$731
37 Walter H. Crockett,	c	153	0	z40	Elwin L. Ingalls,	107	312	158	96	584	130	35	65	1,487	302	538	227	5,598	2,500	*60,000	698
38 Orrill F. Barrett,	c	79	0	0	Mrs. Lelia L. Blodgett,	134	59	29	54	122	74	13	14	499	54	67	13	1,476	1,200	*12,000	80
39 Dell B. Dwinell,		18	0	0	Mrs. Dell B. Dwinell,	14	7	3	3	18	7	2	1	55	7	0	23			1,500	0
40		0	0	0		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0			1,000	0
41 J. K. Putnam,		15	0	0	Mrs. Linus Leavens,	11	6	2	4	12	6	2	1	44	14	0	0	600	1,000	4,000	8
42 Warren Scott,	e	95	44	x31	Mrs. Mary F. Gilmore,	80	105	23	42	83	58	12	13	416	67	51	43	1,180	1,500	*9,000	13
43 A. W. Kingsland,	e	139	30	0	Dr. Edward R. Clark,	66	62	10	15	83	21	6	5	268	43	8	9	800	1,100	10,000	104
44 George M. Calkins,	c	76	41	0		8	31	3	20	57	6	2	2	129	0	6	40	534	800	*5,000	27
45 I. A. Lyon,	c	107	45	0	Willie G. Stoddard,	0	20	1	1	5	1	1	1	30	7	3	17	875	†1,200	*4,500	5
46 John S. Williams,	e	123	25	0	Lyman B. McNeil,	106	83	22	44	79	57	11	12	414	24	48	90	2,164	1,500	*14,000	93
47 John M. Comstock,	e	124	44	0	Willard P. Townsend,	149	95	38	55	105	89	18	15	564	107	119	18	1,740	1,000	*10,000	70
48 Edwin M. Farr,		104	67	z13	Atwood Sargeant,	60	35	6	6	27	11	3	2	150	48	0	25	2,006	1,200	*16,000	104
49 Amherst B. Weeks,		0	0	0	E. M. Eddy,	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		180		*6,000	0
50 Rev. S. H. Talbot,					Mrs. E. S. Wright,	57	37	16	22	39	31	7	7	216	11	31	1	800	1,200	*4,000	31
51		0	0	0		17	9	0	5	17	9	2	0	59	0	2	0	0		*15,000	10
52		0	0	0	Mrs. E. W. Sevene,	6	3	0	10	6	0	1	0	26	0	0	0	424	408	*2,600	6
53 Leo W. Hutchinson,	e	121	0	z11		59	76	15	15	81	58	12	9	325	84	26	31	850	†900	*5,000	37
54 James O. Phillips,	c	79	30	0	Ralph R. Robbins,	160	88	27	46	91	64	15	10	501	40	110	89	1,266	1,000	*13,000	97
55 Mrs. Lucy Ware,	e	117	0	20	Mrs. Ella L. Bryant,	52	34	11	20	48	32	5	6	208	26	60	99	1,911	1,200	*6,300	12
56 John N. Dutton,	e	129	38	0	W. J. Wilson,	90	92	27	40	100	62	18	32	461	70	36	45	1,463	1,200	*9,900	33
57 L. J. Rabner,	c	63	26	0	Mrs. K. T. Griffith,	100	52	23	43	92	61	12	12	395	53	40	132	1,792	1,500	*11,500	45
58 John W. Gillis,	e	150	68	0		171	91	34	55	134	83	21	23	612	70	44	610	2,426	1,500	*23,000	76
59 Willey T. Kilborn,		40	35	0	Willey T. Kilborn,	42	19	9	15	36	19	5	4	149	2	10	1	1,000	1,320	*6,000	12
60 Mrs W. LeR. Haven,	c	91	16	0	William J. Holley,	183	98	21	24	91	30	26	33	506	50	255	111	2,608	1,500	*24,000	129
61	e	45		0	Miss G. T. Brophy,	23	12	8	11	25	21	4	4	108	28	60	1	567	312	6,500	20
62						7	4	2	3	5	4	0	1	26	2	3				‖*2,600	3
63 A. W. Laughton,	h	26	0	0	Miss A. G. Laughton,	25	14	4	9	23	13	5	3	96	11	5	0	460		*6,000	5
64 Alva S. Butler,	e	45	0	0	Arthur E. Butler,	17	10	3	6	12	11	1	2	62	3	6	6	316	250	1,000	29
65		0	0	0		3	1	1	3	1	2	0	0	11	0	2		600	†1,100	*4,000	2
66 Lloyd Chaffee,		60	30	0	W. J. Chaffee,	49	48	14	30	71	50	8	8	278	80	58	5	1,018	800	*10,000	145
67		0	0	0		16	10	15	1	5	7	1	0	55	15	5	31	515		4,000	20
68 B. E. Goodenough,	c	165	75	0	Miss Mary A. Nichols,	144	77	16	57	112	97	14	15	532	50	461		2,466	1,500	*30,000	175
69		0	0	0	Mrs. Harry Soule,	6	3	1	2	6	2	1	0	21	0	0	0	170	150	1,700	16
70 J. W. Kittell, jr.,		46	0	0	Van Ness E. Chase,	9	15	2	4	7	5	0	1	43	2	32		700	†1,200	2,500	8
71 R. L. Reed,	e	120	0	0	Miss C. E. Cheever,	77	40	22	23	97	69	12	8	348	65	125	50	2,062	1,500	*16,000	39
72 Tom Pritchard,		30	0	0	Benjamin Lewis,	7	4	1	6	15	3	1	0	37	0		12	900	†800	*4,000	2
73		40	40	z20	Fred Moore,	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3			700	750	*8,000	5
74		0	0	0	Mrs. William Nichols,	29	7	7	14	30	20	4	4	115	25	12	1	369		*11,000	2

¶ (h Includes Home Department. c Cradle Roll. e Both Home Department and Cradle Roll.)
§ (x Includes both Men and Boys. z Boys only.) ‡ These amounts included in totals of Homeland Societies. ‖ Inserted by registrar from former figures. † Salary includes Missionary Aid. * Church has a Parsonage.

CHURCHES			CHURCH CLERKS	PASTORS			MEMBERS				ADMITTED			REMOVED				BAPT.		FAM.
Cities or Towns	Org.	Erctd		Names	Ord.	Cld.	Ma.	Fe.	To.	Ab.	Conf.	Let.	To.	Dth.	Let.	Rev	To.	Ad.	Inf.	
75 Franklin,	1817	1827	Charles W. Gates,	Arthur Brotherston,	'15	'20	25	47	72	21	6	4	10	1	3	0	4	1	5	39
76 Georgia,[a]	1793	1831	Walter C. Ballard,				15	17	32	13	0	0	0	3	0	0	3	0	0	12
77 Glover, **West,**	1817	1832	Mrs. Bertha L. Wright,	* James J. Hutchinson,[ee]	'06	'19	42	54	96	23	12	0	12	2	1	0	3	8	1	38
78 Grafton, Federated,	1785	1833	Miss Amy M. Davis,	[* Geo. E. Congdon, *Bapt.*]	'16	'20	20	35	55	16	3	1	4	2	2	2	6	3	0	35
79 Granby and Victory,[b]	1825	1845	Mrs. J. L. Wells,				6	8	14	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	30
80 Greensboro,	1804	1827	Mrs. L. A. Perrin,	Edwin R. Gordon,	'10	'19	40	61	101	20	0	0	0	0	3	0	3	0	0	60
81 Guildhall,	1799	1844	Mrs. I. E. Knight,[e]	George B. Marsh,	'16	'20	14	16	30	14	0	3	3	2	0	0	2	0	0	25
82 Guilford,[e]	1899	1856	Mrs. Emma S. Miller,	* Arthur V. Woodworth,[dd]	'01	'18	22	30	52	20	4	0	4	2	0	0	2	4	0	35
83 Hardwick, **East,**	1803	1850	Carroll S. Montgomery,	John Irons,	'98	'19	65	103	168	44	10	6	16	4	8	0	12	10	0	67
84 "	1894	1895	Mrs. Mary A. Ober,	Charles Wattie,	'96	'18	65	124	189	79	3	15	18	2	10	0	12	3	1	105
85 Hartford, 2d,	1786	1828	Miss Fanny L. Wright,	Edward T. Ford,	'97	'20	47	86	133	38	5	0	5	3	4	11	18	2	0	100
86 " **West,**	1830	1832	Erwin C. Newton,	Charles W. Cheeseman,[ee]	'20	'20	18	36	54	16	0	0	0	2	2	1	5	0	0	45
87 " **Quechee,**	1831	1873	H. F. Porter Lillie,				28	60	88	39	0	0	0	2	0	1	3	0	0	135
88 " **Wilder,** *Fed.*	1888	1889	Joseph M. Quimby,	Leland G. Chase,	'19	'20	17	37	54	8	8	2	10	1	3	3	7	8	0	45
89 Hartland,	1779	1834	Jay G. Underwood,	Charles O. Gill,	'94	'20	20	44	64	21	0	2	2	0	0	1	1	0	0	75
90 Highgate, **Center,**	1811	1844	Miss Sarah R. Place,				14	26	40	17	1	1	2	0	0	1	1	1	0	24
91 Hinesburg, Federated,	1789	1840	Mrs. Kate P. Martin,[aa]	[G. C. Cornell, *M.E.*]	'19	'20	9	31	40	15	5	1	6	3	2	13	18	4	1	42
92 Holland, **Derby, R.F.D. 1,**	1842	1854	Oliver L. Kidder,	* E. Leroy Rice,[aaa]	'10	'16	4	9	13	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	25
93 Hubbardton,	1784	1838	Mrs. Carrie E. St. John,[bb]				19	42	61	35	0	0	0	1	3	0	4	0	0	40
94 Hyde Park, **North,**	1858	1860	Mrs. Cordelia M. Smith,				11	23	34	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	3	0	0	25
95 " 2d,	1863	1911	Mrs. Emma K. Wiswell,	Arthur Mercer,	'01	'18	13	61	74	13	9	1	10	0	0	0	0	9	0	100
96 Irasburg,	1818	1839	Mrs. Oscar N. Washer,				18	26	44	18	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	3	45
97 Jamaica, Federated,	1791	1808	Miss Mary Robinson,	[L. Huntley Sprague, *Bapt.*]	'92	'18	13	41	54	20	0	2	2	2	3	0	5	0	0	50
98 Jericho, 1st, **Center,**	1791	1836	Mrs. Persis C. Bliss,	Francis J. Malzard,	'17	'19	48	90	138	30	32	8	40	2	1	14	17	17	3	100
99 " 2d,	1826	1826	Albert P. Byington,	* William Cashmore,	'98	'12	21	45	66	9	4	6	10	2	1	0	3	5	10	50
100 Johnson,	1817	1851	Mrs. James Holmes,	Arthur B. Ross,	'99	'20	39	99	138	29	9	4	13	3	1	25	29	5	4	150
101 Kirby, **Lyndonville,**	1877	1885	Willie P. Russell,				‖4	5	9	1										25
102 Leicester,[d]	1900	1831	Miss Nettie W. Johnson, *act.*				9	7	16	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
103 Londonderry,	1868	1846	Carl Wright,	Frederick C. Taylor,	'91	'18	18	21	39	7	1	2	3	0	3	12	15	0	0	55
104 Lowell,	1816	1843	Mrs. Mary L. Stephenson,				13	35	48	23	0	0	0	2	0	0	2	0	0	50
105 Ludlow,	1806	1892	Mrs. John C. Gleason,	Clifford H. Smith,	'82	'20	75	132	207	89	7	10	17	5	6	0	11	5	3	120
106 Lunenburg, Federated,	1802	1850	Miss Evalyn L. Davison,	[Glenn W. Douglass, *M.E.*]		'18	23	40	63	6	3	0	3	2	0	0	2	3	2	30
107 Lyndon,	1817	1829	Mrs. Mabel R. Morse,	Robert Clark,	'07	'14	11	53	64	12	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	55
108 " **Lyndonville,**	1870	1872	W. C. Conner,	Herbert J. Hinman,	'97	'19	81	126	207	51	38	11	49	4	7	1	12	14	7	233
109 Manchester,	1784	1871	Walter R. Hard,	Sidney K. Perkins, *i.*	'80	'10	39	91	130	23	1	5	6	4	2	46	52			112
110 Marlboro,	1776	1818	Mrs. Ida D. Adams,	Henry H. Shaw,	'95	'94	8	17	25	8	0	1	1	0	1	0	1	0	0	28
111 Marshfield,	1800	1906					10	33	43	7	2	0	2	1	0	0	1	1	2	105
112 Middlebury,	1790	1805	Julius O. Seeley,	Henry C. Newell,	'08	'16	125	236	361	117	8	10	18	3	13	41	57	4	4	200
113 Middletown Springs, Fed.,	1780	1796	Quincy A. Norton,	[Herbert L. Kelton, *M.E.*]	'98	'18	32	89	121	30	2	0	2	0	2	0	2	1	3	119
114 Milton, Federated,	1804	1866	Mrs. N. E. Phelps,	[Frank E. Talbee, *M.E.*]	'97	'19	35	78	113	29	4	0	4	5	1	0	6	3	2	82

[a] **St. Albans, R.F.D. 2.** [b] **Granby.** [c] **Brattleboro, R.F.D. 3.** [d] **Brandon, R.F.D. 2.** [e] Northumberland, N. H. [aa] Richmond, R.F.D. 1. [bb] Fair Haven, R.F.D. 2.
[cc] Barton. [dd] West Brattleboro. [ee] Hanover, N. H. [aaa] Derby Line. ‖ Inserted by registrar from former figures. * Serves more than one church. See summary for list.

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	Superintendents	¶ Mem.				A.B.C. F.M.	W. F. Bds.	C.E. S.	C.C.B. S.	C.H. M.S.	A.M. A.	C. S.S. E.S.	Min. Relief	Totals	‡W. H.Fed.			Home Exp.	Salaries	Value Ch. Property	
75	Clarence E. Noyes,	54	20	0	Paul H. Gates,	$0	$17	$2	$3	$12	$2	$3	$2	$41	$23	$	$	$1,019	†$1200	*$7,000	$0
76		0	0	0		17	19	4	10	18	15	2	3	88	14	9	0	0	0	*2,000	9
77	Reuben C. Stevens, e	91	15	0	Lyman Barber,	66	48	17	29	58	38	17	8	281	22	38	65	856	520	*5,500	76
78	F. O. Merrifield, e	74	30	0	Mrs. A. B. Culver,	50	18	14	21	31	24	7	5	170	13	20	1	650	1,000	*7,500	0
79	Mrs. Edna McLean, e	52	17	0	Mrs. C. W. Matthews,	2	0	2	1	6	2	2	0	15	7		12	36	†	*1,000	13
80	P. N. Allen, h	75	56	0	Charles H. Miller,	83	42	20	35	72	46	10	10	318	26	36	10	1,914	1,200	*9,000	62
81	Chas. Hutchinson,	61	0	0	Joseph Pendrigh,	0	0	0	0	10	0	0	0	10	0	0	0	438	†1,500	*3,500	17
82	Guy B. Fairbank,	22	27	0	Fred Coombs,	25	18	8	10	25	9	4	3	102	0	0	0	359	†412	*1,800	15
83	Mrs. F. Nicholson, e	162	27	0	Frank S. Montgomery,	101	68	22	39	55	83	10	11	389	49	44	58	1,620	1,200	*10,000	68
84	Mrs. Irene Wattie, e	146	0	0	R. E. Battles,	0	19	0	1	24	18	1	1	64	17	150	46	1,534	†1,200	*10,300	0
85	Simon Taylor, e	64	0	0	Miss Helen B. Gillette,	50	80	12	24	33	30	5	8	242	5	33	2	1,863	1,800	*21,000	90
86	Walter T. Savage, h	43	0	0	Mrs. L. Ida Dimick,	51	26	16	21	45	28	10	6	203	15	23	1	1,373	†1,000	*9,500	8
87	Mrs. E. D. Kane, c	30	0	0	Robert W. Seaver,	94	79	25	43	83	56	11	12	403	41	54	3	1,750	1,300	*15,000	11
88	C. P. Cooper,	83	34	z54	J. C. Ellis,	74	38	17	29	63	45	8	7	281	10	24	1	700	1,200	*9,500	69
89	John P. Webster,	83	0	0	Miss Lizzie E. Lamb,	47	42	11	18	47	28	5	4	202	14	11	1	1,158		*6,000	45
90	Miss Lottie Munsell, em	64	0	0	Mrs. N. M. Morey,	35	18	8	15	27	20	4	4	131	8	18	10	403	250	4,000	21
91	F. S. Coleman, e	76	12	0	Henry M. Page,	12	15	3	6	9	16	1	1	63	6	12		900	1,500	*6,000	38
92	C. H. Bennett,	0	0	0	Elvyn A. Ferrin,	29	12	4	9	20	12	3	3	92	3	8	0	300	240	2,000	6
93		0	0	0	Mrs. Carrie E. St. John	4	2	3	3	10	6	2	1	31	16	0	0		520	*7,500	24
94	Mrs. Eulah Kneeland,	15	0	0	Mrs. Leila Page,	14	7	3	9	10	12	2	1	58	3	7	0			2,500	2
95	L. Halsey Lewis,	80	25	0		120	61	26	49	94	79	11	15	455	30	61	114	1,450	1,100	*15,000	27
96		0	0	0	Mrs. Oscar N. Washer,	0	20	2	2	8	1	1	1	35	15	7	0	188		*6,800	18
97	Mrs. Ruth Robinson, e	73	12	0	Harlan P. Boynton,	71	35	10	23	38	37	5	4	223	23	23	27	750	1,200	*3,500	81
98	Miss H. M. Eldridge, e	79	25	0	C. C. Bieknell,	71	94	22	38	76	61	10	10	382	62	47	11	1,551	†1,300	*17,000	31
99	Fred A. Perceival,	35	0	0	Warren Woodruff,	49	65	15	25	51	29	6	8	248	44	29	1	630	350	5,000	21
100	W. F. Sinclair, e	193	59	0	Mrs. James Holmes,	206	82	52	67	140	131	22	15	715	41	89	20	1,692	1,400	*10,500	62
101						0	0	7	0	0	0	0	0	7	0					‖700	5
102		0	0	0		1	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	19			0
103	A. H. Douglass,	40	28	0	Herbert N. Williams,	21	11	5	7	15	11	2	2	74	8	5	0	700	†1,200	*6,000	13
104		0	0	0	Mrs. M. M. Patterson,	24	12	5	11	18	14	2	3	89	5	140	1	367		*6,000	5
105	Charles J. Hubbard, e	116	30	z25	George C. Otis,	190	102	32	63	115	96	15	17	630	38	75	73	2,032	1,200	*20,250	181
106	John Cole,	33	10	0	Edwin P. Cole,	0	20	0	0	3	0	0	0	23	0	108	25	481	1,000	*10,000	106
107	E. A. Pierce, e	90	0	0	John B. Chase,	12	7	3	6	9	13	2	1	53	3	11	10	1,030	†1,000	*5,000	54
108	John L. Norris, c	187	33	33	Charles D. Stevens,	177	91	35	68	183	91	19	19	683	55	72	3	3,691	2,000	*13,500	470
109	h	79	0	0	Mrs. B. J. Hamlin,	244	92	62	82	231	157	10	35	913	87	41	375	2,424	1,200	*30,000	213
110	Edwin P. Adams,	20	0	0		12	6	3	4	13	6	1	1	46	0			600	†650	*5,500	0
111	Miss A. L. Burnham, e	83	21	z11	Miss A. L. Burnham,	26	13	6	10	22	15	2	3	97	7	11	3	597	†800	*3,500	15
112	Homer B. Harris, e	185	20	0	Ernest C. Bryant,	279	196	73	125	287	169	37	40	1,206	174	106	5	3,776	2,000	*46,000	215
113	Charles Fish, c	70	30	0	Geo. W. Wilkinson,	66	66	18	27	70	38	14	7	306	25	21	150	1,000	1,200	*4,000	75
114	e	52	39	10	Mrs. K. A. Jaekson,	61	38	12	20	55	28	6	5	225	24	13	1	750	1,300	*10,500	88

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115 Montgomery, **Center,**	1817	1837	Mrs. Charles A. Gardyne,				‖5	28	33	15										20
116 Montpelier,	1808	1867	E. S. Jayne,	Charles N. St. John, *i.*	'12	'19	107	226	333	36	27	5	32	5	12	126	143	5	8	400
117 Morgan,	1823	1844	Leon E. Lewis,	[* Wm. C. Johnson, *M.E.*,][d]	'93	'20	8	10	18	3	0	1	1	2	0	0	2	0	0	16
118 Morristown, **Morrisville,**	1807	1897	Miss Anna L. Mower,	George E. Goodliffe,	'15	'19	61	146	207	74	3	3	6	4	6	0	10	3	7	120
119 Newbury,	1764	1856	Mrs. Charles R. Taggart,	Henry S. Ives,	'86	'18	39	124	163	46	12	1	13	3	3	0	6	8	1	120
120 " **Wells River**	1842	1839	S. E. Clark,	Donald Fraser,	'93	'10	75	138	213	50	14	10	24	8	2	0	10	11	6	145
121 " **West**	1867	1833	Mrs. Mima E. Barnett,[a]	William J. McNeill,	'05	'19	17	29	46	20	5	2	7	2	6	0	2	6	0	35
122 Newfane,	1774	1839	Mrs. Abbie E. Morse,	Frank B. Hyde,	'96	'20	25	54	79	11	3	3	6	2	2	9	13	3	1	80
123 New Haven,	1797	1890	Miss Marianne F. Landon,	Wesley E. Page,	'97	'21	71	121	192	67	0	2	2	5	2	8	15	0	5	100
124 Newport,	1831	1889	Robert H. Clement,	Leland A. Edwards, *i.*	'02	'11	98	161	259	54	10	5	15	5	5	0	10	5	21	203
125 Northfield,	1822	1834	Mrs. Charles D. Edgerton,	James B. Sargent, *i.*	'97	'05	57	148	205	50	7	2	9	3	5	12	20	6	2	120
126 Norwich,	1819	1817	Miss Edastina H. Bush,	Herbert Dixon,	'16	'17	59	113	172	39	0	2	2	2	1	0	3	0	0	160
127 Orange,	1876	1848	Miss Edna L. Beard,				14	18	32	8	0	0	0	1	1	2	4	0	0	55
128 Orwell,	1789	1843	Otis S. Wisell,	Robert Lawton,	'95	'21	72	134	206	50	7	2	9	2	7	0	9	7	2	160
129 Pawlet, Federated,	1781	1841	Miss Nellie M. Bushee,	[Cyrus L. Collins, *M.E.*]	'07	'20	23	58	81	17	3	3	6	0	1	0	1	2	2	54
130 " *Welsh*, **West**	1881	1846	Robert C. Morris,	* Joseph Evans,[e] *r*	'06	'20	21	28	49	11	2	2	4	1	1	0	2	0	2	20
131 Peacham,	1794	1806	Mrs. R. B. Abbott,[b]	Wilmond A. Warner,	'87	'19	87	138	225	70	3	2	5	2	8	3	13	2	6	105
132 Peru,	1807	1846	Eugene C. Simonds,	Clarence C. Lyon,	'90	'18	16	31	47		0	6	0	1	0	0	1	0	4	48
133 Pittsfield,	1803	1820	Oscar J. Ellis,				7	14	21	6	0	0	0	1	0	5	6	0	0	35
134 Pittsford,	1784	1837	Miss Eleanor L. Manley,	* Charles C. Claris,	'02	'20	70	141	211	71	2	7	9	3	7	1	11	2	6	104
135 " **Florence**	1915	1908	Abel C. Brown,	* Charles C. Claris,	'02	'20	8	19	27	10	0	2	2	1	1	0	2	0	2	35
136 Plainfield,	1799	1819	Mrs. Emma M. Bartlett,				9	32	41	11	0	0	0	2	0	0	2	0	0	
137 Plymouth, **Tyson**	1804	1895	Mrs. Elizabeth M. Merrill,	[* William B. Chase, *Bapt.*][aa]	'02	'20	11	27	38	15	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	1	23
138 Pomfret, **North**	1783	1844	Miss Persis D. Hewitt,	[Richard F. Beyer, *Lic.*]		'20	24	54	78	21	3	3	6	2	1	0	3	0	0	64
139 Pownal, **North**	1851	1911	Mrs. Alfred N. Smith,	* John A. MacColl	'83	'21	11	23	34	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	29
140 Proctor, *Swedish*,	1888	1889	Carl Linder,	* Charles Swanson,	'10	'20	19	22	41	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	2	0	1	34
141 Putney, Federated,	1776	1841	Mrs. Annie B. H. Harris,				21	48	69	29	0	4	4	0	3	0	3	0	0	60
142 Randolph, 1st, **Center**	1786	1837	Mrs. Lizzie A. Farnsworth,	Herbert A. Barker,	'03	'19	44	58	102	31	2	2	4	2	5	1	8	1	1	47
143 " Bethany,	1906	1832	Edgar T. Salisbury,	Fraser Metzger, *i.*	'95	'06	123	288	411	132	18	7	25	6	7	0	13	16	6	212
144 Richmond, Federated,	1801	1903	Walter C. Fuller,	Frank W. Hazen,	'97	'20	50	105	155	52	7	1	8	2	5	0	7	6	10	132
145 Ripton,	1828		Hiram I. Spoor,[e]				10	6	16	8	0	0	0	0	0	5	5	0	0	
146 Rochester,	1801	1812	Mrs. Arabelle D. Hubbard,	Edward E. Robbins,	'98	'20	23	72	95	23	6	13	19	0	5	0	5	2	5	100
147 Rockingham, **Saxton's Rvr.**	1825	1837	Miss Grace M. Chapin,	George F. Chapin,	'66	'83	102	124	226	44	7	3	10	0	3	0	3	0	1	100
148 " **Bellows Falls**	1850	1851	Fred C. Hildreth,	Edward C. Fellowes,	'91	'21	78	186	264	50	9	2	11	1	9	0	10	13	7	183
149 " **Cambridgeport**	1868	1836	Mrs. Flora T. Walker,	[* Geo. E. Congdon, *Bapt.*][bb]	'16	'19	5	9	14	5	0	0	0	1	0	1	2	0	0	20
150 Roxbury,	1838	1871	Miss Carrie M. Howe,	Frank C. Wright,	'20	'20	14	28	42	12	4	2	6	3	1	0	4	2	0	90
151 Royalton,	1777	1839	Mrs. Emma G. Culver,	* John H. Moseley,[cc]	'09	'19	23	36	59	14	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	75
152 " **South**	1868	1869	Miss Nellie J. Adams,	* John H. Moseley,	'09	'17	31	66	97	30	10	6	16	2	5	0	7	10	8	65
153 Rupert,	1786	1860	Edward F. Haye,	J. Duke King,	'02	'10	22	38	60	14	1	8	9	4	1	0	5	1	0	30
154 Rutland,	1788	1860	George K. Montgomery,	George A. Buttrick, *i.*	'15	'19	352	636	988	288	42	30	72	17	26	0	43	23	32	500

[a] South Ryegate, R.F.D. 1. [b] South Peacham. [c] Breadloaf. [d] Derby. [e] Granville, N. Y. [aa] Ludlow. [bb] Grafton. [cc] South Royalton.

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Superintendents	¶ Mem.	Y.P. S. Mem.	§ Mens Org.		A.B.C. F.M.	W. F. Bds.	C.E. S.	C.C.B. S.	C.H. M.S.	A.M. A.	C.S.S. E.S.	Min. Relief	Totals	‡W. H.Fed.			Home Exp.	Salaries	Value Ch. Property	
115					$4	$2	$1	$2	$5	$2	$0	$0	$16	$5	$	$	$	$	‖$2,500	$39
116 Theodore P. Barber, c	258	57	x89	Frank K. Griggs,	248	161	70	92	297	140	38	24	1,070	219	183	37	7,111	2,400	*118,000	218
117 C. E. Wilcox,	28	12	0	Leon E. Lewis,	11	5	2	4	8	6	1	1	38	2	5	10	200	150	1,200	10
118 Carlton D. Howe, e	174	0	100	Charles E. Mould,	136	95	42	62	128	107	19	21	610	52	70	375	3,125	1,500	13,500	90
119 James B. Hale,	96	55	0	James B. Hale,	76	124	32	91	108	73	15	17	536	130	104	48	2,590	1,500	*15,000	143
120 M. M. Holbrook,	96	40	0	S. E. Clark,	299	162	69	137	232	178	30	38	1,145	102	168	50	2,200	1,500	*16,000	219
121 Frye D. Barnett, e	63	19	0	Mrs. J. H. Howland,	20	12	4	5	48	14	2	1	106	9	70	37	3,292	†1,000	*4,500	0
122 Charles L. Hescock, e	105	20	0	Virgil W. Ranney,	58	38	12	20	53	46	6	6	239	48	71	27	966	†1,000	*7,000	57
123 Frank L. Barrows, e	130	60	z15	William H. Partch,	57	37	16	27	57	66	18	8	286	44	30	83	1,650	1,200	*12,500	89
124 Robert H. Clement, e	238	0	x41	Carroll A. Davis,	221	202	62	141	259	164	28	29	1,106	184	107	100	5,194	2,000	*60,000	290
125 George Walker, h	100	40	0	Henry E. Smith,	70	81	26	21	70	37	21	5	331	29	4		2,225	1,500	*14,000	74
126 Mrs. Susan H. Ladd, e	217	35	0	Charles C. Judd,	65	34	13	23	79	38	9	6	267	30	18	117	1,721	1,200	*12,375	87
127	0	0	0	Theron A. Lord,	6	3	2	3	4	4	0	1	23	0	6	0	218		*3,500	32
128 Fritz E. Lillie, e	106	0	44	Davis L. Wells,	0	98	11	11	13	4	11	0	148	49	160	240	1,812	1,400	*17,500	220
129 Joseph A. Leach,	40	15	0	Mrs. R. A. Clark,	94	48	23	43	85	59	11	12	375	53	47	3	1,200	1,800	*10,000	117
130 Thomas J. Williams,	20	0	0	John P. Owens,	4	2	1	2	2	3	0	1	15	0	4	0	360	400	1,500	0
131 R. B. Abbott, c	158			Moses W. Martin,	214	115	44	75	223	119	22	18	830	79	70	3	2,164	1,500	8,200	54
132 Eugene C. Simonds, e	67	35	0	D. H. Millington,	8	26	1	6	7	12	27	1	88	8	2	42	740	†1,100	*4,000	28
133 Oscar J. Ellis, e	77	25	0		19	10	23	7	13	10	2	2	86	0	8	25	610	1,250	*2,500	24
134 Earle W. Bailey, c	101	27	0	J. Howard Wheaton,	310	314	77	96	346	201	39	40	1,423	176	123	46	2,584	1,500	*13,500	57
135 J. A. Cadwell,	35	0	0	Abel C. Brown,	18	14	5	10	16	11	5	4	83	11	9	1	450	360	2,500	14
136	0	0	0		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	*5,000	0
137 Mrs. Stella Briggs, e	34	0	0	Mrs. Stella Briggs,	16	8	3	4	41	9	1	2	84	2	5	5	253	†416	1,500	6
138 Miss M. C. Warren, e	107	38	0		59	31	11	21	40	31	6	6	205	22	15	138	1,085	1,000	*7,600	41
139 M. Brownell Bates,	35	0	0	Mrs. Alfred N. Smith,	0	18	1	7	11	11	1	1	50	10	0	0	718	600	*12,000	19
140 Adolf Carlson,	64	17	10	Severus Westin,	7	4	2	3	5	4	0	1	26	2	4	64	1,061	780	3,500	0
141 Mrs. A. B. H. Harris, e	75	0	0	Mrs. A. B. H. Harris,	44	22	11	23	35	29	8	8	180	9	23	5	700	1,200	*7,000	8
142 Mrs. Wm. F. Cooley, c	95	20	z16	Harry H. Cooley,	132	57	39	46	83	40	24	17	438	8	50	2	1,096	†1,200	*7,000	25
143 Charles C. Morse, e	295	98	x93	E. W. Tewksbury,	241	148	44	92	240	133	20	19	937	91	112	160	6,798	2,100	*63,500	458
144 B. F. Goodrich, e	167	34	0	M. S. Whitcomb,	105	51	21	35	100	58	12	9	391	75	20	135	3,409	1,800	*16,500	158
145	0	0	0		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	50	0	0	0
146 Storrs Clough, c	114	0	0	Mrs. O. J. Morrow,	73	64	11	40	44	55	3	11	301	36	40	38	1,444	1,200	*9,500	67
147 Mrs. Ellen C. Stearns, e	164	70	z20	Mrs. Fay S. Fuller,	249	116	56	97	212	144	25	27	926	88	88	86	1,306	800	*12,000	186
148 J. A. Pearson, e	240	35	x112	Walton H. Farr,	443	274	101	183	363	272	46	57	1,739	177	193	368	5,268	2,000	*31,000	192
149 George E. Walker, e	37	0	0	Mrs. Amy B. Weaver,	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	95		1,500	0
150 Fred E. Cram,	40	32	0	Mrs. Frank Brown,	8	4	1	2	10	4	1	1	31	4		22	521	†1,200	2,000	2
151 Garner R. Dewey,	28	14	0		40	43	10	19	38	23	6	4	183	23	23	1	391	281	2,000	0
152 Mrs. T. Mason, em	111	25	x26	Charles P. Tarbell,	44	26	13	19	52	25	6	6	191	43	26	13	1,450	1,200	*7,000	55
153 Edward F. Haye,	30	0	0	Earl R. Sheldon,	48	50	11	22	36	53	4	5	229	25	25	20	1,395	1,000	*6,500	20
154 Geo. H. Percival, e	459	0	75	Henry S. Parker,	849	556	204	320	949	505	99	93	3,575	364	274	50	4,508	3,500	*100,000	1,430

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155 Rutland, *Swedish*, Center[a]	1889	1892	Axel E. Olson, **Rutland**	* Charles Swanson, **Proctor**	'10	'20	17	23	40	3	0	0	0	1	2	0	3	0	0	13
156 St. Albans,	1803	1894	Frederick A. Dutcher,	Stanley Cummngs,	'16	'19	74	167	241	47	14	14	28	2	20	37	59	7	2	250
157 St. Johnsbury, 1st, **Center**	1809	1804	Mrs. Leona H. Rice,[d]	Miles G. Tupper,	'03	'18	20	49	69	16	6	8	14	6	1	0	7	8	7	42
158 " North,	1825	1878	Arthur F. Stone,	Frederick B. Richards, *i.*	'91	'14	235	391	626	193	60	22	82	10	16	0	26	23	12	326
159 " **East**	1840	1840	Seth L. Grant,	J. Newton Perrin, jr.,	'92	'18	32	63	95	32	0	0	0	2	0	0	2	0	5	50
160 " South,	1851	1852	John M. Perham,	Francis A. Poole, *i.*	'93	'17	118	241	359	93	18	13	31	8	16	0	24	11	4	200
161 Salisbury,	1804	1840	Cyrus A. Bump,	[* David W. Reid, *M.E.*]	'18	'19	19	34	53	17	0	1	1	3	3	0	6	0	4	75
162 Sharon,	1782	1837	Mrs. Mary Noyes Gibson.				36	49	85	31	6	4	10	2	0	10	12		4	85
163 Sheldon, Federated.	1816	1854	Miss May Brown,	[Albert Abbott, *M.E.*]		'20	10	28	38	21	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	10
164 Sherburne,	1885	1837	Mrs. Marcia A.E.Johnson,[e]				9	14	23	6	4	0	4	0	0	0	0	3	1	30
165 Shoreham,	1794	1846	Mrs. Albert M. Smith,				22	69	91	16	2	1	3	0	4	0	4	4	13	80
166 South Hero and Grand Isle,[a]	1795	1854	Ray R. Allen,	George G. Ross,	'02	'20	41	63	104	24	18	2	20	1	14	0	15	9	4	85
167 Springfield,	1781	1832	John W. Bennett,	Clement G. Clarke,	'00	'20	137	245	382	93	21	14	35	6	4	0	10	8	9	300
168 Stockbridge, **Gaysville**	1827	1864	Mrs. Maria Knowlton,	[Frances S. Walkley, *Lic.*]		'20	6	14	20	4	2	2	4	0	1	2	3	2	0	35
169 Stowe,	1818	1836	Albert R. Straw,				29	53	82	46	0	0	0	2	2	0	4	0	0	50
170 Strafford,	1820	1832	Mrs. Mary C. Colby,[aa]	* James G. Robertson,	'89	'20	22	34	56	25	0	0	0	2	0	0	2	0	0	80
171 Sudbury,	1791	1807	C. W. Jones [*act.*][bb]				11	33	44	12	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	25
172 Swanton,	1801	1824	Ray W. Kimball,	F. Wilson Day,	'03	'16	75	147	222	50	19	3	22	6	3	0	9	19	12	160
173 Thetford,	1773	1787	Harley C. Sanborn,[ee]	Francis W. Bates,	'87	'18	23	71	94	18	6	0	6	0	4	0	4			70
174 " **Post Mills**	1839	1818	Edward N. Heaton,				17	38	55	17	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	4	75
175 " Fed., **North**	1878	1860	Mrs. Arthur B. Palmer,				11	36	47	10	0	1	1	2	1	0	3	0	0	34
176 Townshend,	1777	1790	Bliss B. Prentiss,	Richard H. Bosworth,	'82	'14	44	76	120	33	1	1	2	2	5	0	7	1	0	80
177 " **West**	1850	1817	Mrs. William F. Bissell,	William F. Bissell,	'02	'16	10	22	32	10	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	49
178 Troy, **North**	1818	1864	Mrs. Elnora H. Ewins,	E. Vernon Young,	'14	'20	31	93	124	44	0	0	0	2	6	0	8	0	3	100
179 " Federated,	1845	1863	Mrs. Alice H. Gray,[dd]	* William G. Macfarlane,[aaa]	'13	'17	5	9	14	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	10
180 Tunbridge,	1792	1838	Fred V. Tuller,	[* James C. Mitchell, *M.E.*]	'98	'16	15	27	42	19	6	1	7	0	0	0	0	2	1	85
181 Underhill,	1801	1845	Mrs. Ethel G. Hawley,[ee]	* William Cashmore,[bbb]	'96	'12	20	52	72	14	0	1	1	2	1	0	3	0	1	46
182 Vergennes,	1793	1834	Erwin W. Graves,	William F. Frazier,	'11	'19	78	128	206	48	4	1	5	1	0	0	1	4	7	100
183 Vershire,	1787	1820	Mrs. Nellie H. Tuller,				22	31	53	25	0	3	3	0	1	0	1	0	0	40
184 Waitsfield,	1796	1875	George M. Jones,	William A. Remele,	'94	'04	39	70	109	33	0	0	0	3	0	1	4	0	8	125
185 Wallingford,	1792	1829	Mrs. Nella E. Ward,	* Ola R. Houghton,	'09	'15	57	143	200	40	4	5	9	5	9	6	20	1	0	200
186 " **South**	1896	1840	Mrs. Minnie B. Maxham,	* Ola R. Houghton,	'09	'15	9	28	37	13	0	0	0	0	2	0	2	0	0	50
187 Wardsboro, **South**	1793	1842	Mrs. Herbert Reed,	[* Arthur J. Green, *M.E.*][ccc]	'17	'19	7	10	17	10	1	0	1	2	1	0	3			12
188 Warren,	1885	1840	Mrs. George E. Ford,	Addison F. Gifford,	'08	'20	14	26	40	9	5	0	5	0	4	0	4	2	0	130
189 Waterbury,	1801	1825	Arva H. Smith,				86	130	216	56	10	11	21	0	1	0	1	3	12	128
190 Waterford, **Lower**	1798	1862	George A. Stoddard,	Edwin E. Grant,[ddd]	'98	'11	23	31	54	43	0	0	0	1	2	0	3	0	0	24
191 "	1896	1847	Mrs. Ernest C. Johnson,	* William A. Bacon,[eee]	'95	'16	7	28	35	20	1	0	1	1	1	0	2	1	0	20
192 Waterville,	1823		Mrs. W. P. Smilie,				5	13	18	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	20
193 Weathersfield, 1st,[b]	1775	1821	William B. Page,				14	16	30	13	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	13
194 " East,[c]	1838	1837	Mrs. W. H. Haskell,				4	4	8	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	15

[a] **South Hero.** [b] **Springfield R.F.D. 3.** [c] **Springfield R.F.D. 2.** [d] St. Johnsbury, R.F.D. 4. [e] North Sherburne. [aa] Sharon, R.F.D. 1. [bb] Brandon. [cc] East Thetford. [dd] North Troy. [ee] Jericho, R.F.D. [aaa] Westfield. [bbb] Jericho. [ccc] Wardsboro. [ddd] St. Johnsbury East. [eee] Littleton, N. H. * Serves more than one church. See summary for list.

	SUNDAY SCHOOLS		Y.P. S.	§ Mens	CHURCH	GIFTS ON APPORTIONMENT (INCLUDING CONG'L WORLD MOVEMENT)									Special Cong'l Contbs	Unde-nom'l Gifts	LOCAL FINANCES			Pilgrim Mem'l Fund
	Superintendents	¶ Mem.	Mem.	Org.	TREASURERS	A.B.C. F.M.	W. F. Bds.	C.E. S.	C.C.B. S.	C.H. M.S.	A.M. A.	C.S.S. E.S.	Min. Relief	Totals	‡W. H.Fed.			Home Exp.	Salaries	Value Ch. Property	
155	John P. Brunsell,	25	0	0	Miss Emma Brunsell,	$2	$1	$1	$1	$3	$1	$1	$1	$11	$1	$10	$0	$361	$420	$2,200	$0
156	H. M. Allen, c	184	130	z20	Mrs. W. D. Chandler,	446	249	117	201	413	262	54	54	1,796	149	900	500	5,009	2,000	60,000	191
157	Lucien Benedict, e	107	62	0	Howard Goss,	0	10	1	9	52	16	0	0	88	30	2	10	1,439	1,200	*6,500	13
158	Charles W. Steele, e	388	44	x77	Fabian S. Reed,	446	352	114	91	574	253	56	38	1,924	283	1,160	460	6,690	3,000	*135,000	1,124
159	W. E. Cushman,	40	30	0	Irving M. Locke,	40	0	10	0	0	0	7	5	62	0		32	975	800	*7,500	20
160	Rev. Francis A. Poole, e	220	0	x72	Wilbur J. Farr,	335	505	105	101	412	330	72	56	1,916	621	160		5,319	2,500	*26,000	1,049
161	Cyrus A. Bump,	60	32	0	Austin D. Beach,	101	28	17	29	56	52	22	10	315	41	31	30	1,000	720	8,000	117
162	Winfield B. Hefflon, c	40	20	0	Mrs. M. N. Gibson,	24	26	5	10	18	14	2	3	102	5	12	11	1,200	†1,125	*6,000	18
163	Morton Mack,	20	0	z3	Mrs. T. C. Jennison,	33	16	7	12	27	18	3	3	119	10	18	30	338	800	*3,500	42
164	John E. Davis,	45	0	0	Henry R. Taylor,	0	0	0	0	5	0	0	0	5	0			224		1,000	0
165	Malcolm Douglas, e	86	0	0	Mrs. E. A. Smith,	166	125	41	70	161	95	17	28	703	65	59	3	1,252	1,200	*12,500	128
166	Jesse A. Larrow, e	106	28	0	Mrs. Hazel P. Allen,	109	34	16	35	62	43	6	10	315	4	53	20	1,679	†1,500	*5,500	56
167	Ralph E. Flanders,	267	35	100	Fred P. Lovejoy,	980	462	219	425	707	530	91	118	3,532	111	543	215	5,944	4,000	*42,500	44
168	Miss F. S. Walkley, c	38	21	0	Miss Alice K. Chedel,	19	8	3	7	12	10	2	2	63	2	8	10	512	†832	3,000	2
169		0	0	0	Mrs. Nida Magoon,	25	23	1	1	23	49	15	0	137	6			45	0	*8,500	22
170	Henry B. Cummings,	25	0	0	Henry B. Cummings,	101	47	20	35	66	44	18	13	344	10	33	7	857	666	*6,500	30
171		0	0	0	Alverton G. Jones,	0	8	3	10	9	2	2	1	35	19	0	0	550		*3,300	0
172	Mrs. A. S. Fleury, e	195	75	x115	Mrs. E. W. Jewett,	135	59	36	54	100	77	12	16	489	39	200	500	3,000	1,700	*25,000	119
173	Harley C. Sanborn, e	85	0	0	Ellsworth H. Sargent,	84	40	24	39	81	49	12	12	341	53	37	43	1,350	†1,200	*14,000	47
174	Clinton A. Adams, h	52	0	z8	Clinton A. Adams,	35	58	7	12	41	26	14	3	196	23	9	22	1,172	1,000	*5,400	28
175	Charles A. Wilcox, e	60	0	0	Mrs. A. B. Palmer,	47	25	11	21	39	26	5	6	180	15	28	10	488	550	2,500	47
176	F. R. McColl, h	103	15	0	Earle E. Knapp,	58	34	13	25	42	32	7	7	218	19	26	49	1,238	900	*7,000	37
177	Charles O. Kimball,	44	29	0	Mrs. Wm. F. Bissell,	20	8	3	5	14	8	1	3	62	9	5	14	556	†700	*5,500	11
178	Mrs. W. R. Dailey, c	183	75	0		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	21	0	1,588	1,320	*15,000	79
179	Wallace D. Miller,	35	0	0	Wallace D. Miller,	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	350	600	2,000	0
180	Ernest E. Sleeper, h	52	0	0	Miss Anne R. Howe,	27	14	5	12	22	15	2	3	100	7	13	6	425	300	*5,500	12
181	Miss Alice E. Ayer, e	60	0	0	Charles E. Ayer,	25	33	10	14	30	31	8	4	155	40	19	18	688	350	4,000	31
182	Herbert W. Day, c	111	0	0	Wayland S. Bristol,	194	158	53	85	184	108	27	25	834	61	92	28	2,626	1,700	*16,000	124
183		0	0	0	Benjamin F. Fulier,	0	0	0	0	8	0	0	0	8	0			638	†1,100	*2,500	0
184	John Connor,	70	40	0	E. S. Joslin,	91	51	20	38	71	52	9	10	342	72	50	2	1,154	700	*9,800	43
185	William P. Cary, e	159	49	x52	Fred Doubleday,	156	80	36	59	140	75	17	14	577	31	160	48	2,032	1,300	*13,000	210
186		0	0	0	Ozi S. Law,	7	4	2	4	5	4	2	1	29	4	4		210	200	4,000	2
187		0	0	0	Lewis K. Webster,	7	4	2	3	5	4	0	1	26	2	4		150	150	1,000	0
188	George H. Robinson, e	130	0	0	Mrs. J. L. Spalding,	31	16	8	14	22	18	3	3	115	7	14	7	405	†800	2,000	14
189	Bertrand R. Demeritt, e	159	44	0	Mrs. Marion Clark,	275	123	56	85	230	129	39	24	961	86	181	3	2,810	1,700	*15,000	42
190		0	0	0		0	0	1	2	0	2	0	0	5	0					*2,300	23
191	C. I. Harvey,	20	0	0	Mrs. Flora Wallace,	10	5	1	2	13	3	1	0	35	3	3		400	312	4,000	0
192		0	0	0		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0			0	0	0	3
193	Miss W. E. Perkins,	25	0	0		13	6	2	4	7	7	1	1	41	4	4	0	160		4,000	4
194	Mrs. W. H. Haskell,	35	0	0	Mrs. Fred Tucker,	6	3	2	4	7	4	0	2	28	0	5	12			2,000	30

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§ (x Includes both Men and Boys. z Boys only.) ‡ These amounts included in totals of Homeland Societies. † Salary includes Missionary Aid.

	CHURCHES		CHURCH CLERKS	PASTORS			MEMBERS				ADMITTED			REMOVED				BAPT.		FAM.
	Cities or Towns	Org.	Erctd	Names	Ord.	Cld.	Ma.	Fe.	To.	Ab.	Conf.	Let.	To.	Dth.	Let.	Rev	To.	Ad.	Inf.	
195	Weathersfield, **Ascutneyville**	1869	1847	George H. Fitch,	* Oscar W. Peterson,[d]	'02	'17	18	26	44	6	0	0	0	1	1	0	2	0	0	22
196	West Fairlee,[a]	1809	1856	Mrs. K. M. Coleman,	Arthur H. Sargent,	'10	'19	3	14	17	6	0	1	1	4	0	0	4	0	0	24
197	Westfield, Federated,	1818	1906	Homer B. Hitchcock,	* William G. Macfarlane,	'13	'17	17	26	43	17	1	1	2	1	1	0	2	0	1	30
198	Westford, Federated,	1801	1840	Mrs. Frank B. Smith,	[W. W. White, *Bapt.*]	'13	'19	22	37	59	15	8	0	8	1	1	9	11	7	0	30
199	Westminster,	1767	1835	Miss Almira J. Burwell,				53	67	120	37	14	8	22	4	1	0	5	8	2	140
200	" **West**	1799	1827	Mrs. F. R. Chapman,	Walter R. Curtis,	'84	'15	15	40	55	17	0	1	1	3	0	1	4	0	0	56
201	Westmore,[b]	1893	1895	Mrs. Elma O. Knight,	Theophilus H. Root,	'92	'21	13	19	32	6	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	35
202	Weston,	1799	1839	Miss Emma C. Peabody,				5	14	19	4	0	0	0	1	3	0	4	0	0	21
203	West Rutland, Federated,	1773	1885	Charles A. Parker,	Thomas A. Carlson,	'93	'19	56	91	147	45	11	22	33	4	5	0	9	6	11	75
204	Weybridge,[c]	1794	1848	Charles S. James,	Samuel H. Barnum,	'83	'19	55	50	105	37	12	3	15	4	0	0	4	6	0	33
205	Whiting,	1799	1811	Mrs. Addie C. Wooster,	Bernard L. Chase,	'11	'20	15	30	45	12	0	2	2	2	0	1	3	0	0	70
206	Williamstown,	1795	1812	Miss Mary E. Waterman,	* Charles E. Walsh,	'09	'19	29	61	90	23	2	2	4	1	5	0	6	2	2	65
207	Williston, Federated,	1800	1830	William M. Barber,	[Henry H. Richardson, *M.E.*]		'20	18	27	45	14	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	1	30
208	Wilmington,	1855	1884	Charles H. Parmelee,				28	60	88	32	0	0	0	2	0	0	2	0	0	100
209	Windham,	1805	1802	Paul P. Jones,	Leslie H. Metcalf,	'98	'16	19	31	50	31	0	0	0	3	2	5	10	0	1	35
210	Windsor,	1768	1798	Walter W. Blanchard,	Burton A. Lucas,	'97	'16	42	99	141	57	8	4	12	6	3	2	11	2	8	95
211	Woodbury, **South**	1875	1872	Mrs. Satira L. Sabin,	* Frank L. Stacy, **Cabot**	'15	'21	10	20	30	17	1	0	1	2	2	0	4	0	0	43
212	Woodstock,	1781	1808	Henry C. Jackson,	Herbert H. Hines, *r.*	'20	'20	72	151	223	29	5	1	6	2	4	30	36	3	7	200
213	Worcester,	1824		Mrs. Emily S. Bailey,				2	9	11	7	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
	Membership of dropped churches,														5	108	18	131			

[a] **South Fairlee.** [b] **Orleans, R.F.D. 2** [c] **Middlebury R.F.D. 1.** [d] Claremont, N. H.

* Serves more than one church. See summary for list.

NAME OF STATE ORGANIZATION: VERMONT CONGREGATIONAL CONFERENCE.

NAMES OF CHURCHES UNITED: Brookfield 2d merged in Brookfield 1st.

NAMES OF CHURCHES DROPPED: (1) Wolcott.

CHURCHES: *Supplied by*, — Pastors installed, 15; pastors recognized, 3; pastors, 144; licentiates, 7; supplies, 1; vacant, 43. Total, 213.

MINISTERS: Pastors installed, 15; pastors recognized, 1; pastors, 102; supplying churches, 1. Total, 119. Without charge, 57. Total, 176.

MEMBERSHIP: No. of men, 7,744; No. of women, 15,296. Total, 23,040. Absent, 6,451. *Additions*, — on confession, 928; by letter, 745. Total, 1,673. *Removals*,— death, 451; by letter, 710; revision, 555. Total, 1,716.

BAPTISMS: Adults, 509; infants, 495.

FAMILIES: 17,057.

SUNDAY SCHOOLS: Members, 17,398.

YOUNG PEOPLE'S ORGANIZATIONS: Societies, 102; members, 3,801.

MEN'S ORGANIZATIONS: Societies, 41; members, 1,766.

CONTRIBUTIONS: American Board (Churches, 182), $19,828; Woman's Foreign Boards (188), $13,001; Education Society (188), $4,849; Church Building Society (190) $7,804; Home Missionary Society (196), $18,400; American Missionary Association (189), $12,055; Sunday School Extension Society (176), $2,470; Ministerial Relief (176), $2,315. Total (200), $80,722. Special Congregational Benevolences (171), $16,669 [includes C.W.M. $6,691]; Undenominational Gifts (156), $12,210 [includes C.W.M. $377]; Pilgrim Memorial Fund (183), $19,291. Grand total (205), $128,892. Woman's Home Missionary Federation (174), $8,959.

HOME EXPENSES: No. of churches reporting, 195; amount, $307,783.

SUNDAY SCHOOLS		Y.P. S.	§ Mens	CHURCH	GIFTS ON APPORTIONMENT (INCLUDING CONG'L WORLD MOVEMENT)										Special Cong'l	Unde-nom'l	LOCAL FINANCES			Pilgrim Mem'l
Superintendents	¶ Mem.	Mem.	Org.	TREASURERS	A.B.C. F.M.	W. F. Bds.	C.E. S.	C.C.B. S.	C.H. M.S.	A.M. A.	C.S.S. E.S.	Min. Relief	Totals	‡W. H.Fed.	Contbs	Gifts	Home Exp.	Salaries	Value Ch. Property	Fund
195 Miss Sarah E. Warren,	25	0	0		$34	$17	$7	$14	$31	$21	$3	$4	$131	$12	$21	$1	$175	$156	$3,500	$33
196 Rev. A. H. Sargent,	35	0	0	Miss M. M. Mann,	0	0	0	1	25	2	0	0	28	0		25	733	†400	930	3
197 Homer B. Hitchcock,	35	30	0	William B. Gilpin,	43	21	10	18	32	25	4	5	158	9	22	51	1,200	650	*10,000	70
198 Mrs. Loula Macomber,	60	0	0	Mrs. Chester Hall,	43	22	9	20	41	43	4	9	191	37	28	21	600	1,000	*6,200	12
199 Ray D. Metcalf, e	137	33	100	Frank H. Farr,	123	48	28	47	93	68	12	13	432	21	91	83	1,512	1,000	*8,000	258
200 R. H. Ranney, e	65	26	0	Walter F. Buxton,	101	69	20	42	76	58	18	11	395	34	47	92	847	700	*9,000	0
201 A. E. French, e	40	0	0	Marshall E. Calkins,	0	24	9	1	2	0	0	0	36	2		8	531	†1,000	*5,500	0
202	0	0	0	Miss E. C. Peabody,	15	0	0	0	15	0	0	0	30	0	0	0	0	0	1,200	5
203 Benjamin F. Bowker, e	88	20	0	T. B. Wheeler,	116	39	13	26	30	36	7	7	274	39	124	377	1,926	1,500	*15,000	150
204 Wm. K. MacMurtry, e	103	32	0	Wm. K. MacMurtry,	78	47	20	32	71	40	9	8	305	32	60	22	1,083	†800	*10,000	102
205 A. G. Freegard,	50	15	28	A. G. Freegard,	0	0	0	0	0	4	0	0	4	4	5	17	1,183	1,200	*6,000	12
206 Walter B. Simons, c	96	18	0	Mrs. Leon E. Poor,	109	77	28	58	91	67	12	16	458	43	100	17	1,260	1,050	*10,000	549
207	0	0	0	William M. Barber,	58	26	8	15	32	22	3	9	173	15	17	76	725	1,200	2,500	143
208 Charles H. Parmelee, c	80	0	0		83	43	17	31	72	41	9	8	304	16	24	7	1,500	1,180	5,000	33
209 Paul P. Jones, e	67	0	0	Mrs. Hattie P. Jones,	32	17	7	11	29	19	4	3	122	13	7	24	503	†600	*4,000	21
210 Frank W. Hubbard,	60	0	0	Miss Lucy S. McClary,	114	59	27	47	103	65	13	12	440	51	42	2	2,200	1,400	*21,000	69
211 Miss Emma Morrison,	29	0	0	Miss Myrtie M. Lance,	24	12	6	10	28	14	2	3	99	5	12	1	275	†350	2,000	3
212 Edward Abbott, e	187	0	0	Miss E. W. Mitchell,	563	320	119	220	440	325	58	56	2,101	150	261	32	3,785	2,000	*45,000	229
213	0	0	0		4	2	1	2	2	3	0	1	15	0	4	0	0	0	0	0
Undesignated gifts,					0	1	0	5	0	0	0	0	6	0	0	0				745

¶ (c Includes Cradle Roll. e Both Home Department and Cradle Roll.) * Church has a Parsonage.
‡ These amounts included in totals of Homeland Societies. † Salary includes Missionary Aid.

VALUE OF CHURCH PROPERTY: No. of churches reporting, 209; amount, $2,630,955.
INVESTED FUNDS: No. of churches reporting, 160; amount, $698,404.
DEBTS: No. of churches reporting, 17; amount, $33,097.
SALARIES: No. of churches reporting, 178; amount, $195,516. No. receiving Missionary aid, 37; amount, $10,176. Total, $205,692. No. Pastoral units, 156. Average, $1,319.
CHURCHES WITH PARSONAGE: 153.
INCREASE: Young People's Societies, members, 18; Gifts to National Societies, $33,560; Other Congregational Gifts, $24,998; Undenominational Gifts, $3,595. Total Benevolence, $62,153; Home Expense, $35,400; Value of Property, $88,255; Amount of Debt, $9,924.
DECREASE: Churches 2; Members, 43; Sunday School Members, 516.
YOKED CHURCHES: Churches, Nos. 11-77; 17-66; 24-82; 32-206; 38-211; 44-117; 52-53; 57-61; 69-70; 78-149; 99-181; 134-135; 140-155; 151-152; 179-197; 185-186.

SUMMARY

Associations	Churches	Church Members			Admissions				Removals				Net Gain	Net Loss
		Ma.	Fe.	To.	Ab.	C.	L.	To.	De.	Di.	R.	To.		
Addison	14	565	1019	1584	472	44	32	76	29	41	55	125		49
Bennington	10	390	837	1227	255	43	28	71	20	21	60	101		30
Caledonia	18	931	1731	2662	825	168	101	269	49	97	9	155	114	
Chittenden	16	860	1644	2504	729	131	85	216	48	74	48	170	46	
Essex	3	43	64	107	26	3	3	6	4	0	0	4	2	
Franklin and G. I.	15	377	735	1112	331	47	26	73	22	32	43	97		24
Grafton-Orange	12	300	710	1010	298	48	24	72	28	22	2	52	20	
Lamoille	9	202	502	704	213	22	14	36	16	27	56	99		63
Orange	10	389	765	1154	369	32	129	161	29	151	8	188		27
Orleans	19	539	1076	1615	491	43	27	70	36	25	5	66	4	
Rutland	20	951	1855	2806	750	81	80	161	44	75	9	128	33	
Union	12	398	712	1110	358	38	43	81	26	22	19	67	14	
Washington	18	578	1244	1822	381	109	58	167	43	43	164	250		83
Windham	19	729	1374	2103	536	58	41	99	30	44	11	85	14	
Windsor	18	492	1028	1520	417	61	54	115	27	36	66	129		14
Total	213	7744	15296	23040	6451	928	745	1673	451	710	555	1716		43

Associations	Bapt.		Families	S. S. Memb.	Y. P. Soc.	Men and Boys	Benevolence			Home Exp.	Valuation
	Ad.	Inf.					Appt.	Other Cong.	Other		
Addison	26	37	1063	1083	189	87	4779	697	520	18026	175000
Bennington	15	24	981	889	130	30	6793	979	1376	19659	234500
Caledonia	92	52	1693	1980	360	198	7866	1856	1371	32356	281500
Chittenden	80	42	1390	1483	431	75	8890	3786	2391	45286	302200
Essex	3	2	85	146	27	0	48	108	37	955	14500
Franklin and G. I.	35	23	773	837	295	138	3620	1270	1244	15300	142000
Grafton-Orange	27	21	893	785	154	57	3402	489	269	16837	98430
Lamoille	18	20	800	572	128	131	2446	280	552	8692	67000
Orange	24	16	828	926	253	109	3409	486	286	15406	122500
Orleans	22	55	1260	1669	443	61	4846	1624	641	23543	202200
Rutland	45	69	1690	1597	214	137	8698	1018	976	25448	261500
Union	20	18	789	817	190	138	5042	685	356	12623	109450
Washington	28	55	1782	1551	327	120	5154	1321	306	24906	241800
Windham	38	28	1555	1673	424	405	10235	1453	1443	26283	187980
Windsor	36	33	1485	1450	236	80	5488	617	442	22463	190475
Total	509	495	17067	17458	3801	1766	80716	16669	12210	307783	2630955

ECCLESIASTICAL RCEORD

CHURCH DISBANDED

Wolcott.

MINISTERS ORDAINED, INSTALLED, AND RECOGNIZED

RICHARD A. BURN, o., Enosburg, June 10, 1920.
FRANK C. WRIGHT, o., Roxbury, September 14, 1920.
HERBERT H. HINES, o. and r., Woodstock, October 28, 1920
JAMES A. LYTLE, r., Bradford, December 7, 1920.
CHARLES C. CLARIS, i., Pittsford and Florence, May 4, 1921.

MINISTERS DISMISSED

EDWARD P. TREAT, Pittsford, November 9, 1920.
EDWARD W. WILD, Westminster, February 23, 1921.

MINISTERS DIED

EDWARD P. STONE, w. c., Rutland, September 11, 1920.
WILLIAM R. PRICE, p., (of East Berkshire) St. Albans, September 24, 1920.
AZEL W. WILD, w. c., Cambridgeport, January 7, 1921.
LEROY M. PIERCE, w. c., Londonderry, March 21, 1921.

ASSOCIATION OF CHURCHES

I. ADDISON ASSOCIATION

Organized as Consociation, June 13, 1804; as Conference, September 10, 1861; name changed to Association, May 20, 1908.

Registrar, Rev. W. F. Frazier, Vergennes.

Churches—Bridport, Bristol, Cornwall, Ferrisburg, Leicester, Middlebury, New Haven, Orwell, Ripton, Salisbury, Shoreham, Vergennes, Weybridge, Whiting.

Met at Cornwall, May 24, 1921. General topic, Recruiting for the ministry. Sermon by Rev. C. R. Hamlin. Next meeting at Orwell.

Ministers— Samuel H. Barnum, Charles H. Dickinson, William F. Frazier, Hervey Gulick, Christopher R. Hamlin, D. Lee Hilliard, L. Myrven Isaacs, J. Hall Long, William G. Macfarlane, Henry C. Newell, Thomas M. Ross, R. Barclay Simmons, John M. Thomas, E. Vernon Young.

Licentiates— Ezra Brainerd, Edwin D. Collins, Guy C. Hendry.

Advisory Committee and Committee on Ministerial Standing—Rev. H. C. Newell, Rev. S. H. Barnum, Mr. A. W. Eddy.

Committee on Benevolence— Mr. R. H. Holmes.

II. BENNINGTON ASSOCIATION

Organized December 10, 1872; name changed to Association, June 30, 1908.

Registrar, Rev. W. R. Hamlin, North Bennington.

Churches—East Arlington, Bennington First, Bennington Second, North Bennington, Dorset, East Dorset, Manchester, Peru, North Pownal, Rupert.

Met with First church, Bennington, May 31, 1921. General topic, Recruiting for the ministry. Next meeting at East Arlington.

Ministers— C. F. Hill Crathern, George H. Gilbert, William R. Hamlin, W. LeRoy Haven, J. Duke King, Clarence C. Lyon, George S. Mills, Sidney K. Perkins, Vincent Ravi-Booth, Mabel T. Winch.

Advisory Committee and Committee on Benevolence—Rev. G. S. Mills, Mr. P. T. H. Pierson, Rev. W. L. Haven, Rev. W. R. Hamlin, Mr. H. T. Cushman, Rev. Vincent Ravi-Booth.

Committee on Ministerial Standing—Rev. W. L. Haven, Rev. J. D. King, Mr. Fahnestock, Dr. H. W. Elliott, Rev. W. R. Hamlin.

III. CALEDONIA ASSOCIATION

Organized October 23, 1834; name changed to Association, June 1, 1909.

Registrar, Rev. C. A. Adams, Danville.

Churches— McIndoe Falls, Barnet, East Burke, Burke Second,

Danville, Greensboro, East Hardwick, Hardwick, Kirby, Lyndon, Lyndonville, Peacham, St. Johnsbury Center, St. Johnsbury North, St. Johnsbury East, St. Johnsbury South, Lower Waterford, Waterford.

Met at Barnet, June 10, 1921. General topic: Recruiting for the ministry. Sermon by Rev. John Irons. Next meeting at Greensboro.

Ministers—Chauncey A. Adams, Henry T. Barnard, Charles B. Bliss, Andrew S. Bole, Robert Clark, Albert V. Fisher, Edward G. French, Edwin R. Gordon,, Edwin E. Grant, Arthur E. Gregg, Herbert J. Hinman, John Irons, Charles H. Merrill, Charles H. Morse, J. Newton Perrin, Jr., Francis A. Poole, Frederick B. Richards, Miles G. Tupper, Hiram Q. Ward, Charles Wattie.

Licentiate—Arthur P. Fitt.

Advisory Committee—Rev. C. H. Merrill, Mr. E. H. Cowles, Rev. H. J. Hinman.

Committee on Ministerial Standing—Mr. P. S. Harris, Rev. C. A. Adams, Rev. F. A. Poole.

Committee on Benevolence—Rev. C. B. Bliss, Rev. A. E. Gregg, Mr. E. C. Smith.

IV. CHITTENDEN ASSOCIATION

Organized as Consociation July 4, 1828; as Conference, June 10, 1851; name changed to Association, June 2, 1909.

Registrar, Rev. William Millar, Essex Junction.

Churches—Burlington First, Burlington College St., Charlotte, Colchester, Winooski, Essex, Essex Junction, Hinesburg, Jericho First, Jericho Second, Milton, Richmond, South Hero and Grand Isle, Underhill, Westford, Williston.

Met at Essex Junction, June 1, 1921. General topic, Recruiting for the ministry. Next meeting at Richmond.

Ministers—Chauncey C. Adams, Stephen G. Barnes, William Cashmore, Rollins B. Fay, Charles E. Hayward, Frank W. Hazen, William Hazen, Frank W. Hemenway, Edward E. Herrick, Francis J. Malzard, Charles C. Merrill, Frederick N. Rutan, I. Chipman Smart, Clifford H. Smith, Evan Thomas.

Licentiate—Samuel F. Emerson.

Advisory Committee—Rev. F. J. Malzard, Dr. C. M. Ferrin, Mr. F. W. Nash.

Committee on Ministerial Standing—Rev. F. N. Rutan, Rev. I. C. Smart, Mr. F. G. Macomber.

Committee on Benevolence—Mr. F. S. Pease, Mr. G. E. Bartlett. Rev. G. G. Ross.

V. [COOS AND] ESSEX ASSOCIATION

Organized February 19, 1833; name changed to Association, June 17, 1908.

Registrar, Rev. W. A. Bacon, Littleton, N. H.

Churches—Granby and Victory, Guildhall, Lunenburg; also nine New Hampshire churches.

Minister—William A. Bacon.

This Association meets in the fall. Its officers, as well as its churches, are mostly in New Hampshire.

VI. FRANKLIN AND GRAND ISLE ASSOCIATION

Organized as Consociation June 14, 1808; as Conference, June 7, 1865; name changed to Association, June 4, 1908.

Scribe, Rev. F. W. Day, Swanton.

Churches—Alburg Springs, Alburg, Bakersfield, East Berkshire, Berkshire Second, Enosburg, Fairfield, East Fairfield, Franklin, Georgia, Highgate, Montgomery, St. Albans, Sheldon, Swanton.

Met at Bakersfield, June 7, 1921. General topic, Recruiting for the ministry. Sermons by Rev. Stanley Cummings and Rev. R. A. Burn. Next meeting with Second church, Berkshire.

Ministers—Arthur Brotherston, Richard A. Burn, Stanley Cummings, F. Wilson Day, W. Parkyn Jackson, Evarts Kent, Wilmot M. Mayhew, Edgar S. Vradenburg.

Advisory Committee and Committee on Ministerial Standing—Dr. G. O. Mitchell, Mr. T. C. Jennison, Rev. R. A. Burn.

Committee on Benevolence—Mr. W. J. Chaffee, Rev. P. H. Fisk, Mr. C. L. Smith.

VII. GRAFTON-ORANGE ASSOCIATION

Organized October 26, 1909.

Secretary, Mr. W. R. Conant, Orford, N. H.

Churches—Bradford, Corinth, East Corinth, Fairlee, Newbury, Wells River, West Newbury, Thetford, Post Mills, North Thetford, Vershire, West Fairlee; also thirteen New Hampshire churches.

Met at Wells River, Oct. 20, 1920. General topic, Our task for the year. Sermon by Rev. C. G. Clarke.

Met also at Thetford, June 1, 1921. General topic, Congregationalism.

Ministers—J. Lambert Alexander, Francis W. Bates, A. Reginald Crewe, Donald Fraser, Henry S. Ives, William J. McNeill, Arthur H. Sargent, William Slade.

Licentiates—Clinton W. Carvell, George S. Worcester.

Advisory Committee—Rev. F. G. Chutter, Rev. A. T. Boland, Rev. A. I. Davis, Mr. S. E. Clark, Rev. Donald Fraser.

Committee on Ministerial Standing—Rev. F. G. Chutter, Rev. Donald Fraser, Rev. H. S. Ives, Rev. A. T. Boland, Prof. C. F. Emerson.

Committee on Benevolence—Rev. Donald Fraser, Rev. H. S. Ives, Dr. W. S. Cole.

VIII. LAMOILLE ASSOCIATION

Organized June, 1840; name changed to Association, June 2, 1910.

Registrar, Rev. H. M. Bartlett, Jeffersonville.

Churches—Cambridge, Jeffersonville, Eden, North Hyde Park, Hyde Park, Johnson, Morrisville, Stowe, Waterville.

Met at Johnson, June 2, 1921. General topic, Recruiting for the ministry.

Ministers—Miles E. Bacon, Hollis M. Bartlett, Herbert W. Cummings, Lemuel Davis, George E. Goodliffe, Vitellus M. Hardy, Harry E. Harned, Charles A. Hatch, Henry C. Howard, Frank B. Hyde, Arthur Mercer, Wilbur Rand, Arthur B. Ross.

Advisory Committee—Mr. T. J. Stewart, Rev. H. M. Bartlett, Rev. Arthur Mercer, Mr. L. H. Lewis, Mr. C. D. Howe.

Committee on Ministerial Standing—Mr. I. M. Powell, Mr. E. J. Mills, Rev. A. B. Ross.

Committee on Benevolence—Rev. G. E. Goodliffe, Mr. H. M. Maxfield, Mr. Charles Wilder.

IX. ORANGE ASSOCIATION

Organized October 5, 1830; name changed to Association, June 17, 1908.

Clerk, John M. Comstock, Chelsea.

Churches—Braintree First, East Braintree and West Brookfield, Brookfield First, East Brookfield, Chelsea, Randolph Center, Randolph, Strafford, Tunbridge, Williamstown.

Met at Tunbridge, May 25, 1921. General topic, Recruiting for the ministry. Next meeting at Williamstown.

Ministers—James S. Clark, A. Lincoln Dunton, John A. Lawrence, J. Frank Locke, Fraser Metzger, Willis T. Sparhawk, William Taylor, Charles K. Tracy, Leland E. Tupper.

Advisory Committee—Rev. Fraser Metzger, Mr. E. A. Thomas, Rev. C. E. Walsh.

Committee on Ministerial Standing—Rev. J. A. Lawrence, Rev. J. G. Robertson, Rev. J. S. Clark.

Committee on Benevolence—Prof. C. V. Woodbury, Mrs. Fraser Metzger, Miss Anne R. Howe.

X. ORLEANS ASSOCIATION

Organized June 18, 1839; name changed to Association, June 2, 1909.

Registrar, Rev. C. J. Peterson, North Craftsbury.

Churches—Albany, Barton, Island Pond, Brownington and Orleans, West Charleston, East Charleston, Coventry, North Craftsbury, Derby,

Glover, Holland, Irasburg, Lowell, Morgan, Newport, North Troy, Troy, Westfield, Westmore.

Meeting appointed at East Charleston, June 9, 1921, was canceled on account of a destructive fire in the village. Next meeting at Brownington.

Ministers—Walter C. Carroll, Frank E. Davison, George H. Dierlamm, Fred M. Dickey, Leland A. Edwards, Thomas Hall, Rollo A. Hamilton, James J. Hutchinson, Robert Lawton, William Millar, Carl J. Peterson, Edwin Rose, Wilmond A. Warner.

Licentiate—C. Eugene Southard.

Advisory Committee—Rev. R. A. Hamilton, Mr. J. C. Carpenter, Mr. S. T. Vance, Rev. L. A. Edwards.

Committee on Ministerial Standing—Rev. C. J. Peterson, Mr. O. W. Locke, Rev. R. A. Hamilton.

Committee on Benevolence—Mr. R. W. Spear, Mrs. Ella L. Bryant.

XI. RUTLAND ASSOCIATION

Organized as Consociation, June 6, 1797; as Conference, June 1860; name changed to Association, September 23, 1908.

Registrar, Rev. O. R. Houghton, Wallingford.

Met at Sudbury, October 5, 1920. General topic, Our County. Sermon by Rev. G. B. Roberts. Next meeting at Pittsford.

Churches—Benson, Brandon, Castleton, Clarendon, Danby, Fair Haven, Fair Haven Welsh, Hubbardton, Middletown Springs, Pawlet, West Pawlet, Pittsford, Florence, Proctor Swedish, Rutland, Center Rutland Swedish, Sudbury, Wallingford, South Wallingford, West Rutland.

Ministers—Robert H. Ball, Walter P. Bradford, George A. Buttrick, Thomas A. Carlson, Charles C. Claris, Ola R. Houghton, John H. Kingsbury, William A. McIntire, Robert G. McLeod, John D. Owen, George B. Roberts, David H. Strong, Charles Swanson, Walter Thorpe.

Advisory Committee and Committee on Benevolence—Rev. W. A. McIntire, Dr. E. R. Clark, Mr. J. A. Leach, Mr. D. S. Carpenter.

Committee on Ministerial Standing—Rev. R. H. Ball, Mr. C. A. Parker, Rev. O. R. Houghton.

XII. UNION ASSOCIATION

Organized September 30, 1885; name changed to Association, October 7, 1909.

Registrar, Mrs. W. J. Ballou, Chester.

Churches—Simonsville, Chester, Grafton, Londonderry, Ludlow, Tyson, Springfield, Weathersfield First, Weathersfield East, Ascutneyville, Weston, Windham.

Met at Springfield, Oct. 6, 1920. General topic, This association of ours. Sermon by Rev. C. H. Smith. Next meeting at Tyson.

Ministers—Earle H Ballou, Henry L. Ballou, William J. Ballou,

Clement G. Clarke, Thomas D. Davies, William W. Evans, Leslie H. Metcalf, Frederick C. Taylor, Samuel L. Vincent.

Advisory Committee and Committee on Benevolence—Mr. C. E. Bacon, Rev. W. J. Ballou, Mr. H. H. Blanchard.

Committee on Ministerial Standing—Rev. C. G. Clarke, Rev. L. H. Metcalf, Rev. H. L. Ballou.

XIII. WASHINGTON ASSOCIATION

Organized November 29, 1837; name changed to Association, June 2, 1909.

Registrar, Rev. J. B. Sargent, Northfield.

Churches—Barre, East Barre, Berlin, Cabot, East Calais, Calais, Duxbury, Marshfield, Montpelier, Northfield, Orange, Plainfield, Roxbury, Waitsfield, Warren, Waterbury, South Woodbury, Worcester.

Met at Cabot, June 8, 1921. General topic, God's call for men. Sermon by Rev. F. L. Goodspeed.

Ministers—Fred G. Aylmore, John W. Barnett, Frank Blomfield, William L. Boicourt, Elisha S. Fiske, George A. Furness, Frank L. Goodspeed, Morton W. Hale, Edward C. Hayes, Amos J. Lord, James Ramage, William A. Remele, Charles N. St. John, James B. Sargent, Frank L. Stacy, Frank C. Wright.

Licentiate—Carl V. Woodbury.

Advisory and Missionary Committee—Rev. F. L. Goodspeed, Rev. F. L. Stacy, Mr. J. C. Griggs.

Committee on Ministerial Standing—Rev. Frank Blomfield, Rev. W. A. Remele, Mr. D. B. Dwinell.

XIV. WINDHAM ASSOCIATION

Organized September, 1841; name changed to Association, September 9, 1909.

Acting Registrar, Rev. A. V. Woodworth, West Brattleboro.

Churches—West Brattleboro, Brattleboro Center, Brattleboro Swedish, West Dover, Dummerston, Guilford, Jamaica, Marlboro, Newfane, Putney, Saxton's River, Bellows Falls, Cambridgeport, Townshend, West Townshend, Wardsboro, Westminster, Westminster West, Wilmington.

Met at Brattleboro, October 7, 1920. General topic, This county of ours. Sermon by Rev. J. C. Prince. Next meeting at Westminster.

Ministers—William F. Bissell, Richard H. Bosworth, George F. Chapin, William C. Clark, Alfred Cornell, Walter R. Curtis, Henry Lamb, Charles W. Mock, Theodore J. Poelman, John C. Prince, Henry H. Shaw, Edward W. Wild, Fred M. Wiswall, Herbert P. Woodin, Arthur V. Woodworth.

Advisory Committee and Committee on Benevolence—Rev. H. P. Woodin, Mr. G. H. Clapp, Mr. Wilbert Renfrew.

Committee on Ministerial Standing—Rev. H. H. Shaw, Rev. H. P. Woodin, Rev. R. H. Bosworth.

XV. WINDSOR ASSOCIATION

Organized September 17, 1840; name changed to Association, May 25, 1909.

Registrar, Rev. B. A. Lucas, Windsor.

Churches—Bethel, Bridgewater, Hartford, West Hartford, Quechee, Wilder, Hartland, Norwich, Pittsfield, Pomfret, Rochester, Royalton, South Royalton, Sharon, Sherburne, Gaysville, Windsor, Woodstock.

Met at Wilder, May 26, 1921. General topic, Recruiting for the ministry. Sermon by Rev. H. H. Hines.

Ministers—Miles E. Bacon, Leland G. Chase, Ernest W. Eldridge, Edward T. Ford, Charles O. Gill, Herbert H. Hines, Burton A. Lucas, Robert W. McClure, John H. Moseley, Charles F. Partridge, Hugh Penney, Edward E. Robbins, Levi Wild.

Advisory Committee—Rev. E. T. Ford, Rev. C. O. Gill, Rev. L. G. Chase, Mr. H. C. Pease, Miss Frances S. Walkley.

Committee on Ministerial Standing—Rev. E. T. Ford, Rev. B. A. Lucas, Rev. J. H. Moseley, Rev. E. E. Robbins, Rev. H. H. Hines.

Committee on Benevolence—Rev. Herbert Dixon, Mrs. G. A. Laird, Mr. H. A. Armstrong.

INCORPORATED CHURCHES

(For the present method of incorporation, see Sections 5701 and 5702, General Laws of Vermont)

Windsor	Sept. 13, 1830
Northfield	Dec. 1878
Bellows Falls	March 22, 1889
Cornwall	March 22, 1889
St. Johnsbury South	April 8, 1889
Wilder	June 5, 1889
Newport	July 1, 1889
Alburg Springs	July 26, 1889
Derby	August 2, 1889
South Woodbury	Sept. 2, 1889
Barnet	Sept. 2, 1889
Underhill	Sept. 18, 1889
Jeffersonville	Sept. 30, 1889
Plainfield	Oct. 14, 1889
Ludlow	Dec. 24, 1889
St. Johnsbury North	Dec. 30, 1889
Stowe	Jan. 2, 1890
Chelsea	Jan. 29, 1890
Barre	Feb. 24, 1890
Tunbridge	March 26, 1890
South Hero and Grand Isle	Dec. 29, 1890
Charlotte	Feb. 4, 1891
Norwich	April 14, 1891
Colchester	April 24, 1891
Glover	July 9, 1892
Island Pond	Oct. 17, 1892
Brattleboro First	Dec. 13, 1892
Randolph Center	Dec. 19, 1892
Peacham	Dec. 19, 1892
Hyde Park	Feb. 3, 1893
West Hartford	Jan. 8, 1894
Wells River	Feb. 14, 1894
Simonsville	March 29, 1894
North Hyde Park	April 28, 1894
East Barre	Sept. 19, 1894
Marshfield	Oct. 12, 1894
Williamstown	Nov. 20, 1894
Richmond	Dec. 19, 1894
Saxton's River	Oct. 30, 1895
Franklin	April 28, 1896
West Charleston	May 14, 1896
Westminster West	Sept. 9, 1896
Brownington and Orleans	Nov. 5, 1896
Berlin	Jan. 14, 1897
Bristol	June 21, 1897
South Royalton	Jan. 28, 1899
Worcester	Aug. 30, 1899
Chester	1900
Swanton	Feb. 2, 1901
Bennington First	Sept. 10, 1901
St. Johnsbury East	March 5, 1902
Vergennes	Nov. 11, 1902
West Newbury	Nov. 21, 1902
Westminster	Sept. 2, 1903
West Townshend	Sept. 6, 1904
Bethel	Dec. 30, 1904
Bradford	Feb. 24, 1905
Pittsford	March 10, 1905
Guilford	Nov. 20, 1905
Randolph	Nov. 27, 1905
Whiting	March 14, 1906
Eden	March 18, 1907
Jamaica	Jan. 11, 1908
East Hardwick	Jan. 15, 1908
Lyndonville	Jan. 31, 1908
Enosburg	March 22, 1909
McIndoe Falls	Jan. 3, 1910
Rupert	April 11, 1911
Winooski	April 13, 1911
Alburg	June 8, 1911
North Troy	Aug. 5, 1911
Westford	Jan. 22, 1912
East Dorset	Jan. 11, 1913
Pawlet	Feb. 3, 1913
East Braintree and West Brookfield	March 11, 1913
Waterbury	April 16, 1913
Benson	April 26, 1913
Essex Junction	May 17, 1913
Bakersfield	Dec. 6, 1913
West Pawlet, Welsh	June 25, 1914
Newfane	Dec. 30, 1914
Brattleboro	Jan. 12, 1915
Danby	Feb. 17, 1915
Springfield	Feb. 9, 1916
East Berkshire	Jan. 2, 1917
Lunenburg	Oct. 27, 1917
Wardsboro	Nov. 2, 1917
South Wallingford	Dec. 7, 1917
Wallingford	Dec. 15, 1917
Corinth	Jan. 23, 1918
East Corinth	Jan. 23, 1918
Montpelier	Sept. 5, 1918
Hardwick	Jan. 21, 1920
Duxbury	Feb. 16, 1920
Milton	July 12, 1920
Woodstock	July 14, 1920
North Craftsbury	Nov. 17, 1920
Windham	Apr. 11, 1921

APPENDIX

A

BOARD OF DIRECTORS

Four meetings of the Directors and six of the Executive Committee have been held during the year.

Three changes have occurred during the year in the personnel of the Board. Rev. Burton A. Lucas of Windsor succeeded Rev. George E. Ladd of West Woodstock, who removed from the State, as representative of the Windsor Association, in February; while at the September Convocation meeting Mrs. E. D. Burditt of Rutland was confirmed as ex officio successor to Mrs. Harriet L. VanPatten of Burlington, retiring president of the W. H. M. U., and later Mrs. George S. Mills of Bennington in like manner succeeded Mrs. Martha T. Buckham of Burlington, retiring president of the Vermont Branch, W. B. M., as an ex officio director.

President Edward G. French was first continued as field representative in order to complete the raising of the Congregational World Movement quota for 1920, by visiting the laggard churches, which work he accomplished with notable thoroughness, and then was chosen a second pastor-at-large to supplement the efficient work of Mr. Bole. The additional receipts from the Congregational World Movement made possible his retention in this capacity. We believe that the efficient pastoral supply resulting from having these two devoted workers prepared to respond to emergency calls is tiding many of our churches over the dangerous shoals between pastorates and is securing them the opportunity of more careful selection of new pastors and that the Congregational churches have been placed thereby on a higher plane of spirituality and of efficiency than for many decades; while the organization and potential force for good in the State of the churches is the best yet. These local results alone would fully justify the extra cost and sacrifice of the Congregational World Movement. Throughout the State the Congregational churches have an enhanced feeling of power and companionship in a brotherhood of over two hundred churches, which are each

devoted units in the make-up of an efficient single State church, functioning as an important branch of the world church, instead of the feeling of helplessness due to emphasis upon local autonomy with resultant lack of correlation. The Board is pleased to believe that much of the present feeling that Vermont Congregational churches are prepared to move forward and accomplish much is due to the selection as our leaders of men with such personalities as Secretary Merrill and Pastors-at-Large French and Bole possess.

Immediately after the last annual Conference, Secretary Merrill was voted a six weeks' vacation which the Committee insisted upon his taking. Martha's Vineyard returned him to us prepared to resume the big output of his wonderful human dynamo.

At the June meeting, the Secretary reported an unusual interest as having characterized the Association meetings just past, which he felt to have been a natural outcome of the World Movement Campaign and of the attention given by the Conference to the filling of vacancies in the pastorates.

At this meeting it was voted to request the Conference Treasurer to send to the Receivers for the several associations as soon as practicable after July 1, 1920, and in subsequent years immediately following the State Conference, the usual statement of the amounts due from their respective associations for the per capita contribution, asking the Receivers to send their statements to the churches so soon thereafter that the per capita contributions shall be received by the State Treasurer as soon as possible after October 1st of each year.

In arranging for the Middlebury Convocation it was voted that the churches be requested to pay the expenses of their ministers in attending the Convocation.

At the Convocation meeting, Secretary Merrill reported the total expenditures in the first World Movement Campaign to have been $4,554.38.

Much of the time of the various meetings has been devoted to policies and details with regard to raising the World Move-

ment quotas and to the various problems presented by the enlargement of the State work afforded thereby.

Suggestions for a local church program for Vermont, 1920-21, to be sent to the pastors, was approved September 21.

A plan for week-day religious education in connection with the public schools has been considered. The matter is now with a general committee selected from the executive heads of five Protestant bodies, including our own, the chairman of the Religious Education committees of the same bodies, three representatives of the Vermont Sunday School Association and several public school men.

In February, on account of the death of Rev. William R. Price of East Berkshire, Rev. W. C. Clark of Bakersfield was appointed Reporter and Receiver for the Franklin and Grand Isle Association.

In accordance with the recommendation contained in last year's report, the Directors prepared and presented to the General Assembly an act relating to the ownership and disposition of the property of such Congregational churches as are or may become extinct. This act follows the wording of the Baptist act of 1917 and has become law, with slight amendments, offered on behalf of two churches and accepted by us to promote good feeling.

The Executive Committee voted to bond the State Treasurer of Benevolences in an approved bonding company for $7,500, and to recommend to the Conference that this office be made a permanent one.

The dates for the 1921 Middlebury Convocation have been fixed for September 5-8 and arrangements therefor left to the Secretary and a committee to be appointed by him.

Congregational World Movement: 1921 Campaign

The Directors recognize that this work must be kept forever at least at the level attained in 1920. They voted, February 18, that the Secretary as Campaign Director should be assisted in the second campaign by a State Campaign Committee appointed

by him, who should have power to appoint a lay director. The Committee so appointed were Revs. C. C. Adams, L. A. Edwards, G. S. Mills, E. G. French and A. S. Bole. The budget for the expenses of this campaign was approved at $2,100 total. It was also voted that the contributions be divided as recommended by the Committee on Benevolences and Missionary Education as follows:

American Board	23%
Woman's Board	13%
Woman's Home Missionary Union	13%
Vt. Domestic Missionary Society and Congregational Home Missionary Society	22%
Congregational Church Building Society	6%
Congregational S. S. Extension Society	1¼%
American Missionary Association	8½%
Congregational Education Society	2¾%
Ministerial Relief	1½%
Educational Institutions	6%
Annuity Fund (for older Congregational Ministers)	2%
Miscellaneous	1%

The six per cent for Educational Institutions is to be divided as follows: One-half to Bangor Theological Seminary, one-fourth to Piedmont College and one-fourth to Northland College.

On March 29 the Executive Committee voted to refer the question of appointing a State Commission on the increasing of ministers' salaries to the next Conference, putting in form therefor certain data secured by a questionaire authorized by a meeting of the Directors February 18.

The Executive Committee on March 29 recommended that Vermont's share of National Council expense money be so allotted as to insure the largest possible delegation from Vermont, which means that this money be divided among a few delegates and let those who can afford it pay their own expenses rather than allot about $32 toward each delegate's expenses.

The following budget for 1921 is herewith presented:

National Council Dues (6c per member)	$1,385.00
Board of Pastoral Supply (1½c per member)	346.00
Expenses Annual Meeting	125.00
Printing Minutes	200.00
Other Printing	75.00
Expenses of Directors and Committees	150.00
Treasurer's Expenses	20.00
Salary and Expenses Statistical Secretary	110.00
Interest on borrowed money	12.00
Margin to decrease borrowing in subsequent years	120.00
	$2543.00

A per capita contribution of 11 cents would yield $2,545.18 and is hereby recommended, the same as last year.

The Directors present the nomination of Rev. Charles C. Merrill, as Secretary of the Vermont Congregational Conference for the year 1921-22.

CHARLES I. BUTTON
Chairman

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SECRETARY'S REPORT

Again I am writing this report during the week of the World Movement Canvass and again I shall ask your attention only to the main points of the year's work.

Filling Pastoral Vacancies

This is doubtless the most important part of your Secretary's duties. I sometimes think I could well give it all my time. At all events, until the number of vacancies is reduced to two or three I should like to give it all my time. My dream has been to reach a point where the vacancies were so few that when a new one occurred it would be possible to help a church

fill it at once from a "waiting list" of desirable men. We ought to retain the Congregational plan of a church choosing its own pastor and at the same time get the advantage of the Methodist plan of having no vacancies between pastorates. In the present condition of pastoral supply the actuality has trailed a long way behind the dream and I have regretted exceedingly that some churches have had to wait for months until the right man could be found. I hope some progress has been made and I promise diligent effort to make greater progress during the coming year. The aim of course must be not merely to secure a man promptly but so to bring minister and church together that there shall be permanent mutual satisfaction. For the "turnover" in the pastorate is a cause of tremendous loss in church life and the five-year pastorate should be constantly emphasized as a reasonable minimum. Our forthcoming Annual Statistics will show that thirty-three Vermont churches had new Congregational pastors on January 1, 1921 as compared with January 1, 1920 (with some subsequent corrections in each case) that is, about a fourth of all the Congregational pastors were new this year. Barring the pastors of other denominations who are serving federated or united churches, your Secretary has been consulted in all these changes but one, and in all but five instances has had a very definite part in securing the new man.

Recruiting the Ministry

The Statistics of last year stated there were forty-eight churches without pastors. The Statistics of this year give the number as forty-three. This does not mean that we needed forty-three more ministers at the date these statistics were compiled. As a matter of fact, if we leave out churches in communities already sufficiently served by other denominations and churches where only summer service or service from near-by communities is practicable, the number is reduced to eighteen. Give us eighteen more ministers and we could with reasonable adequacy man the Congregational churches of Vermont, so far as numbers are concerned; and we could probably give each one of these ministers a "man's job" and a living salary, albeit they

might have to go into a number of fields at the behest of a pretty deep missionary spirit.

But where are the eighteen coming from? Of course, if we should get them at once, they would have to come from other states, since transfers within the State do not help the quantitative side of the problem. But looking forward to a five-year or ten-year period they have got to come from Vermont. The really critical question that now confronts Vermont Congregationalists is whether our church life has enough depth and vitality to it to produce these eighteen men. This is altogether the commanding piece of work ahead for the next twelve months and I bespeak the prayerful and vigorous participation of every minister and every layman in it. A body of churches that, when brought squarely face to face with the issue, cannot produce its own ministers is doomed to drop back to relative insignificance. Following up what the Committee on Recruiting the Ministry has done already, and as a part of what it is planning to do, the Association meetings this spring have been asked by the Board of Directors to consider as their main topic: "The Immediate Necessity of Recruiting Young Men for the Congregational Ministry." Let us expect that the discussion of this topic at these meetings will lead to decisive action.

Getting Together

At the first Middlebury Convocation (I think it was the first) hearty applause from the ministers greeted the remark that henceforth in Vermont we were going to do things together. Since then not a little water has run under the bridge and unquestionably the extent and the depth of co-operation has notably increased. It has seemed to your Secretary that to have what hand he might in developing and giving expression to this co-operation between ministers and between churches, to this feeling that we were members of one state-wide regiment of the "mighty army," was a chief duty and privilege. With this in view I have each year attended practically every, if not every, Association meeting; have tried to meet all the ministers in the retreats for evangelism; have tried to conduct the World Move-

ment Campaign not merely as a scheme to raise money or promote habits of giving but as a powerful means of promoting cooperation; have done what I could to call the attention of ministers and churches to certain standard plans and to a program for the whole year for the local church, which each church might take hold of more strongly because it knew that other churches were taking hold with it; have sought to make the State office and the State paper a clearing-house for the exchange of ideas and experiences; and finally, have really hoped that especially through what direction I gave to the work of the Pastors-at-Large and through my own personal contact with the ministers and churches in their own fields, something was being achieved in the way of a State esprit de corps. Human fellowship is a very sacred thing, especially if it is based on a fundamental oneness of purpose and more especially if that purpose be the establishment of the Kingdom of God on earth. We must not, if we can help it, let one minister or one church feel that they are for one moment outside the great privilege and the mighty upward pull of this fellowship.

World Movement Campaign

If any minister or layman has regretted the necessity of giving attention to the raising of his church's share in the State's quota, I think I can match him in regret at what seemed to be the necessity of giving attention to raising the State's quota as a whole. At times it has frankly seemed like an intolerable extra, when there was already more than enough to do. Moreover, it might be said that it was not strictly a State job, since last year only sixteen and a half per cent and this year only twenty per cent of the entire quota was to be used in the State. And what was really the "necessity" of undertaking this task? Well, it lay in a fact and a hope; the fact being that the money was desperately needed by the Societies, that a per capita gift of fifteen cents per week for our Congregational missionary work was simply not too much for our people, even in times of financial depression, that indeed if we couldn't do that much we might as well haul down our flag first as last; the hope being that once a higher standard of giving was attained it would be kept and

with the ampler resources of our State work assured, we could devote the energy released from money raising to the securing of these more fundamental objects in the State work which, to be sure, may partly depend on money, but which alone make the raising and expenditure of money worth while. With regard to taking responsibility for the entire quota, as distinguished from the Vermont portion of it, I gather that it is useless as well as un-Christian to try to partition off one's own corner and that real progress here in Vermont will come only as we get into the thick of the great campaign the world over.

Handling the Contributions of the Churches

Another way in which I have sometimes felt I was serving tables this past year has been in giving a good deal of time to the work of the State Treasurer of Benevolences who has served without salary and whose correspondence has gone through my office. I have passed upon the question of how practically every remittance should be divided in order to fulfill the conditions under which the money was raised, to meet the desire of donors and to accord with the needs of the missionary work. On account of the distinction (which does not hold for another year) between the World Movement funds and the regular apportionment, there has been considerable difficulty in making the division and it is freely acknowledged that mistakes have been made. Here again, as I look back over the year, I cannot on the whole begrudge the time thus spent because I believe that when we once get this plan to running with the desired facility it will mean not only that church treasurers are greatly convenienced but that churches will be greatly stimulated in actually raising their quotas. In other words, this plan of handling remittances for all our denominational missionary work is really a part of the whole World Movement idea of raising the standard of missionary giving. It is interesting to remember that 171 churches have availed themselves of the State Treasurer's office this year and not only did practically all the World Movement money pass through his hands but that of the $52,277 contributed by our churches during 1920 to the regular apportionment $34,543, or just about two-thirds was distributed by him. No pressure at

all will of course be brought to bear upon churches to send money to the State Treasurer but it will be strange if within a short time practically every church does not send its money to the Missionary Societies through him.

Two questions which I think it would be well for the Conference to consider at its coming meeting and if possible to decide are:

1. Which is the better month for the benevolence canvass, December or May?

2. Cannot an educational program be agreed upon which shall begin in September and continue up to the time of the canvass so that when that time comes each church will be measureably ready for it?

Week-Day Religious Education

This is an "extra" that might have been avoided but it is perhaps the most interesting matter in which I have been engaged his year. I see no hopeful future for the religious instruction of our Protestant children unless it becomes an integral part of their other education; and this seems impossible in connection with the Sunday School or even in connection with the Pastor's Class. A tremendous deal of time has now for several decades been spent in improving the Sunday School and I can't see that much progress has been made. Is not the principle upon which Protestants have hitherto acted, of practically divorcing religious instruction from the rest of education, radically wrong and has not the time come for what is hardly less than a right-about-face?

For this reason I have served as Chairman of the Executive Committee of an Interdenominational Committee which has investigated the question of how Week-Day Religious Education in co-operation with the public schools could be introduced in the State. It seemed for a time as if legislation would be at once necessary but an opinion from the Attorney General, accompanied by a letter from Commissioner Dempsey, led the committee to hope that the plan could be introduced in a limited number of communities during the coming school year without legislation. The Executive Committee of the Vermont Sunday School As-

sociation has asked Secretary G. E. Robbins to devote special attention to the plan during these spring months and he has made some special investigations in other states to fit him for intelligent counsel to communities that desire to take the plan up at once. I suggest that ministers and others interested get into touch with him, and I shall also be glad to be of what service I can in forwarding the introduction of the plan throughout the State.

It has undeniably been a trying year for all of us. For me its difficulties have been immeasurably lightened by the all-too-generous treatment I have received from ministers and laymen throughout the year. It is an increasing privilege to be associated with a company of people who understand what loyalty to a common cause of transcendent worth really means. I must also speak of the unstinted service which Pastors-at-Large Bole and French have rendered the State during the year and of the intelligence, the interest and the time which the Board of Directors have freely given.

CHARLES C. MERRILL

COMMITTEE REPORTS

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EVANGELISM

In Retrospect

1. The year 1920 was a banner one in the history of Congregational Evangelism in Vermont. The accessions to the churches numbered 1622; by letter 694, and on confession 928. Accessions for 1919 were 1257. The only year for the seven years preceding 1919 that exceeded that year was 1915 with 1261 accessions. A comparison of 1919 and 1920 shows an increase of 29%; 24% on confession, and 34% by letter. If the merger at Brookfield is left out of the record the increase by letter is reduced to 16%.

2. Altho there was this encouraging increase 98 of the 213 enrolled churches in the state had no additions on confession of faith, and 72 or one-third of all the churches had no accessions

of any sort. It has been fully proved in recent years that definite effort in the churches produces definite results in winning people to the Church and to Christ. To cut down radically the number of churches without accessions appears to be the first concern of evangelistic work. To repeat what was said in the excellent report of last year: "Evidently the greatest problem before us is to develop, or if need be to create, in every one of our churches a vital belief in evangelism such as now possesses one-third to one-half of the churches."

3. The Evangelistic Forward this year stressed 'qualitative' evangelism. Not that it was thought that the results in numbers in 1920 was a dangerous precedent, but since it had been made clear that results in numbers could be had, it was felt that along with results in numbers should go a new emphasis to secure the more to be desired results in training and character, in consecration and service. Merely to stress the matter of numbers may lead the church to try to win those who are easiest to win, and to leave untouched and unreached people in our communities who, while more difficult to approach, are more needed and more valuable for the Church and the Kingdom.

The figures of additions to the churches for the five years 1916-1920 inclusive.

	Enrolled churches	Number of churches with no accessions at all	Number of churches with no accessions on confession	Number of accessions in the churches which have additions only by letter
1916	215	75	98	54
1917	215	72	96	84
1918	215	75	99	120
1919	215	83	113	84
1920	213	72	98	52

Total additions 1916 1,202; 1917 1,208; 1918 1,168; 1919 1,257; 1920 1,622.

From this study certain facts stand out in relief. In the first place thirty-five percent of our churches during the last five years have had no additions at all. In the second place, forty-six percent have had no additions on confession. In other words, almost half of our churches are not adding to the total of our membership. In the third place, the total number of additions in this forty-six percent of our churches is but five percent of the total number of additions. That means of course that thirty-five percent of that forty-six percent furnish nothing at all toward the five percent, but even so the remaining eleven percent furnish but five percent. It is for this reason that your Committee recommends a more strenuous and direct approach to the problem of evangelism in advising an earlier start in the autumn of instead at mid-winter, and in advising that a plan of numbering the people be set on foot. A church that has had no additions to its membership for five years ought not to feel offended because it is challenged to do so next year.

Twenty-seven of our enrolled churches did not have one addition on confession of faith during the last five years, or twelve and one-half percent. Fourteen percent of our churches had additions on confession in one of the five years. Eighteen percent had additions in two of the five years. Twenty percent had additions by confession in three of the five years. Sixteen had additions of those who were adding by confession every year of the five.

In Prospect

1. We recommend that the Evangelistic Forward for 1921-22 start earlier, if possible before the beginning of winter, let us say in October, while the roads are still good. If left until the first of January the churches are not reached until the first of February. That leaves too short a time for the Lenten ingathering. Furthermore many of the churches are not represented at the Association Conferences. This is largely due to weather conditions. The reports from the Associations indicate that from one-fourth to one-half of the churches were not represented this year. There may be a connection between this fact and the fact that so many churches achieve no particular evangelistic results.

2. We deem it advisable that a team composed of the State Secretary and some other outstanding man, or men, of the denomination, visit the Association Forwards in the 1921-22 campaign. If these meetings are held in the autumn as recommended it may be advisable to combine Associations so as to reduce the number of conferences and to secure the enthusiasm of numbers.

Respectfully submitted,

R. A. HAMILTON
E. G. FRENCH
T. A. CARLSON
Committee

D

RECRUITING THE MINISTRY

As a basis for work the Committee sent out the following questionaire, the replies from the 79 churches reported being given:

1. What plan have you in Recruiting for the Ministry?

43 churches reported some plan.

2. Have you any young men or women preparing for the ministry or missions?

3 for the ministry; 8 for missions.

3. Have you any who are thinking of entering the ministry or missions?

14 for the ministry; 12 for missions.

4. Do you care to have someone come to your church to present this matter?

26 replied yes.

5. Suggest any way in which the Committee may be of help.

A general request for literature which the pastors could use.

Speakers have been sent to Dartmouth, Middlebury and the University of Vermont. In addition the ministry has been presented in a number of High Schools and Academies.

Program for the Local Church

Your Committee suggests the following program for Recruiting the Ministry in the local church.

1. Prayer. God now, as always, works through praying people.

2. Definite campaign of education by sermons and literature.

3. Personal work with young people of promise.

4. Enlisting the aid of an outside speaker.

5. Presentation of the matter in High School or Academy of the community.

6. Report to pastors of college towns the names of students from the church who might consider Christian service as a life's work. The whole perspective of a young person's life changes in his student days. Strong men are coming to our centers of high education to discuss with students the question of life work.

Program for State Committees

The Committee suggests a program for its work in this regard and asks the co-operation of the churches.

1. Secure from each church a definite report each year.

2. Keep in personal touch with those who have the ministry or missions in mind.

3. Provide speakers and literature for pastors.

4. Send speakers to High Schools, Academies and Colleges.

Certain Convictions

After a year's experience of dealing in a more general way with the problem of Christian Leadership in the state your Committee desires to give expressions to certain opinions which are rapidly solidifying into convictions.

1. The great and immediate issue before the church is one of leadership. Repeatedly does it appear that where there is a vital ministry the church moves on to worthwhile service.

2. Without minimizing in the least the importance of ever increasing humanitarian ministries the Christian ministry lies at the heart of them all.

3. The main difficulty in the whole situation is with our civilization which at heart is materialistic. What has been said in this report about program lies upon the surface. A vital ministry will issue only as an overflow from a vital evangelism. But "how shall they hear without a preacher?" And so the point of departure is with the pastor. Ultimately his task is one of evangelism—the permeation of the life of our age with "the law of the spirit of life in Christ Jesus."

Signed

C. C. ADAMS
Chairman

E

MINISTERIAL STANDING

The Committee on Ministerial Standing have no large activities to report. Correspondence has been carried on with three candidates for ordination, and books for study have been recommended and in some cases furnished. One of the candidates, Richard A. Burn, has been ordained. The committee plans to make out a course of study preparatory to the ministry, and will be ready to give aid in every way open to them.

S. G. BARNES
Chairman

F

BENEVOLENCES AND MISSIONARY EDUCATION

The principal work of this committee has been a thorough revision of the apportionments of the Congregational churches of Vermont. This revision was worked out in accordance with the recommendations of the National Council, except that we used a five year experience as a basis instead of a three year experience.

The apportionment figures had not been revised as a whole for ten years, and while a thorough revision involved a large

amount of detail, it seemed advisable to do the work at this time. The surprising thing was that in very many instances the old figures coincided so nearly with the new ones.

On the basis of these figures Association quotas were established and the figures turned over to the Association Apportionment Committees. Later, conferences were held in each Association, attended by representatives of the churches and of the State Office and the quotas for each church were determined. Since some of the churches did not feel that they could undertake to raise the full amount asked of them it will be necessary for many of our churches to oversubscribe their quotas if Vermont is to reach the full $130,000 asked of us. This amount is a challenge to our Christian patriotism and the result will measure our interest in the extension work of the Kingdom.

The splendid response of our churches to the emergency demands of the Congregational World Movement last year is an evidence that our people will respond when once they understand the need. We have courage to believe that as we practically raised our quota last year so shall we make a heartening response to the equally urgent need this year.

The actual gifts reported in the Annual Statistics for the year 1920 are as follows:

Regular Congregational Benevolences,		
Apportionment	$52,277	
Congregational World Movement	28,445	
		$80,722
Special Congregational Benevolences		16,669
Undenominational Gifts		12,210
Pilgrim Memorial Fund		19,291
Total		$128,892

These figures indicate the following gains over 1919:

$5,115 or 10.8 per cent in apportionment contribution.

$33,560 or 71 per cent in regular Cong. Benevolences.

$62,153 or 93 per cent in total Benevolences.

It should be noticed that while there was this increase in benevolences, it did not prevent an increase of $35,400 in home

expenses during 1920 as compared with 1919. The Congregational World Movement contributions are credited in the Annual Statistics to each church under the society which they finally reached (except what went to educational institutions and to the small "miscellaneous" items is credited under Special Congregational Benevolences). These contributions are given, of course, as for the year 1920.

It is of interest, also, to note the large number of our churches contributing. Of our 215 churches 200 gave for general purposes while 205 contributed to one or more of the foregoing objects.

The increase in benevolences shows what we can do when we are aroused to the needs of our missionary enterprises at home and abroad. It seems important, therefore, that the needs of our own State, of our country and of the world should be kept constantly before the people of our churches if we expect them to adequately meet their obligations and their opportunity.

Respectfully submitted,

H. G. WOODRUFF
For the Committee

G

INTERCHURCH MOVEMENT

The failure of the Interchurch Movement to maintain itself as an organized force in our Protestant church service has given a sense of disappointment and set back to the movement for federating churches in over-churched areas. The failure, however, has revealed these forces of reaction which must be overcome if Protestantism is to perform her best service for the country and for the Kingdom of God. The Interchurch Movement failed to achieve its immediate purposes for several reasons and amongst these we may note (1) sectarian sentiment for which we may pay too high a price in inefficiency and overlapping; (2) theological divergences which reveal in part different stages in Protestant education; (3) the lack of organized Protestant sentiment without which it was impossible to create an efficent control over our forces and resources.

We discovered that the conferences on church unity which seemed so full of promise had under the test of a real experiment underestimated the inherent difficulties of united action.

The Committee believes that we can utilize the failure and its causes for a more intelligent and determined effort for federating our forces, that we need more prayer, more patience, more sacrifice, more conciliation toward each other before we can succeed in the first steps of federated effort. There should be no despair but only a deeper humility and a greater consecration to the unifying of our Protestant forces on the fields of service at home and abroad.

It is gratifying that is the face of the Interchurch's failure to achieve its objective we have the privilege of recording in Vermont the following unions or federations since our last report:

Grafton	Congregational and Baptist
Lowell	Congregational and Methodist
Pawlet	Congregational and Methodist
Franklin	Congregational and Methodist

In name of Committee on Interchurch World Movement.

DONALD FRASER
Chairman

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CIVIC JUSTICE AND COMMUNITY SERVICE

Your Committee on Civic Justice and Community Service respectfully reports:

1. That at your meeting held at Brattleboro May 12, 1920 you adopted a resolution as follows: "Recognizing Sunday as one of God's best gifts to man, we urge upon all our people by precept and example to conserve the higher spiritual and religious values of the day, and at the same time approve and recommend a change in our state laws relating to Sunday observance which will leave questions of recreation on that day to the individual conscience and to local option, subject to such regulation as will prevent infringement on the right of all to a quiet day of rest and worship. We desire, however, to go on record as be-

ing unalterably opposed to any measure that will legalize commercial recreation of any sort on Sunday."

2. At a later session at the same meeting the following resolution was adopted: "Whereas, this Conference in the report of the Committee on Civic Justice and Community Service has recommended that the statutes of Vermont be amended looking to the better observance of the Sunday Law and of the statute with relation to marriage. Resolved, that the Secretary of this Conference and the Chairman of the Committee on Civic Justice and Community Service be instructed to keep in touch with the bills that come before our next Legislature, and see so far as in their power that the recommendations named above be carried out."

3. Previous to the last session of the Legislature a conference of the denominational leaders of the state was held in Burlington on Monday, November 8th, 1920, to which conference the Caairman of your Committee was invited but was unable to attend. At this meeting the Congregationalists were represented by Rev. C. H. Merrill, D. D., St. Johnsbury, and Rev. C. C. Merrill, the State Secretary, the Episcopalians by Bishop Arthur C. Hall and Rev. Joseph Reynolds, Burlington, the Methodist Episcopal Church by Rev. G. K. Statham, D. D., and Rev. H. O. Martin, Springfield, the Baptist church by Rev. W. A. Davison, D. D. and Prof. Raymond McFarland, Principal of Vermont Academy. The matter of Sunday legislation was discussed and all were agreed that the present laws were unsatisfactory and constantly being broken with only here and there a spasmodic attempt at enforcement.

And this Conference unanimously expressed a desire for some such changes in the Sunday Law as have since been enacted.

4. The old Sunday Observance Law is found in Sec. 7097 in the last revision: "A person who between twelve o'clock Saturday night and twelve o'clock the following Sunday night exercises any business or employment except works of necessity or charity, holds or resorts to a ball or dance, or uses or exercises a game, sport or play, or resorts to a house of entertainment for

amusement or recreation shall be fined not more than $2.00."

5. At the last session Sen. Geo. L. Dunham of Brattleboro introduced a bill revising the Sunday Observance Law and after this measure was introduced, in compliance with the direction of the last Vermont Congregational Conference, the Chairman of your Committee kept in touch with this bill as did also the Secretary of this Conference, and on March 22nd Senator Dunham received a letter signed by the Secretary of the Conference and by Rev. W. A. Davison, D. D., for the Baptists, and by Rev. G. E. Robbins, setting forth the Conference held at Burlington as aforesaid, and its opinions. The bill, introduced by Sen. Dunham, after some amendment, substantially unchanged in its spirit or intent, became law and is as follows: "A person shall not between twelve o'clock Saturday night and twelve o'clock the following Sunday night exercise any secular business or employment, except works of necessity and charity, nor engage in any dance, nor shall a person promote or engage in any play, game, sport or entertainment, during said hours, for which admission is taken or for which any compensation is received, directly or indirectly, or which disturbs the public peace. A person who violates a provision of this act shall be fined not more than fifty dollars for each offense." All of which is respectfully submitted.

MARCH M. WILSON
F. WILSON DAY
WILLIAM J. BALLOU
ANDREW S. BOLE

ALPHABETICAL LIST OF MINISTERS

This should include all ordained Congregational ministers serving any of the churches in the state, and all others whose standing is with a Vermont Association. No others are included in this list, and no others will be reported for insertion in the alphabetical list of ministers in the Year-Book. Any errors should be reported to the Statistical Secretary.

Following this is a similiar list of licentiates, and a list of ministers of other denominations supplying our churches.

These lists will not be found to agree with those in the tabular Statistics of the Churches, because the latter are printed from the plates of the Year-Book and have been corrected only to May 1st, while the lists that follow have been brought up to the date of printing.

ASS'N	NAME	ADDRESS	ORDINATION DATE	RELATION
Ca.	Adams, Chauncey A.,	Danville,	Sept. 12, 1911,	P.
Ch.	Adams, Chauncey C.,	Burlington,	Sept. 6, 1900,	P. I.
G. O.	Alexander, J. Lambert,	Cowansville, Que.,	July, 1897,	P.
Wa.	Aylmore, Fred G.,	Durham, Conn.,	1908,	P.
Wr.	Bacon, Miles E.,	Bridgewater,	Dec. 29. 1880,	P.
E.	Bacon, William A.,	Littleton, N. H.,	Oct. 1, 1905,	P.
R.	Ball, Robert H.,	Fair Haven,	Sept. 18, 1888,	P.
U.	Ballou, Earle H.,	Tientsin, China,	June 29, 1916,	Miss.
U.	Ballou, Henry L.,	Chester,	Sept. 17, 1895,	P.Em.
U.	Ballou, William J.,	Chester,	Dec. 17, 1906,	P.
Ca.	Barnard, Henry T.,	New York, N.Y.,	Nov. 2, 1880,	W. C.
Ch.	Barnes, Stephen G.,	Burlington,	Apr. 25, 1881,	Prof.
Wa.	Barnett, John W.,	Needham, Mass.,	Aug. 20, 1896,	P.
A.	Barnum, Samuel H.,	Middlebury,R.F.D.1	Apr. 25, 1883,	P.
L.	Bartlett, Hollis M.,	Jeffersonville,	June 19, 1912,	P.
G. O.	Bates, Francis W.,	Thetford,	May 28, 1887,	P.
Wm.	Bissell, William F.,	West Townshend,	Dec. 30, 1902,	P.
Ca.	Bliss, Charles B.,	McIndoe Falls,	Oct. 9, 1903.	P.
Wa.	Blomfield, Frank,	Montpelier,R.F.D.4,	Jan. 25, 1887,	P.
Wa.	Boicourt, William L.,		Sept. 2, 1906,	
Ca.	Bole, Andrew S.,	Hardwick,	Oct. 4, 1895,	P. at large
Wm.	Bosworth, Richard H.,	Townshend,	Mar. 12, 1882,	P.
R.	Bradford, Walter P.,	Bristol, Me.,	Dec. 8, 1915,	P.
F.	Brotherston, Arthur,	Marshfield,	Sept. 1, 1915,	P.
F.	Burn, Richard A.,	Enosburg Falls, R.F.D. 2,	June 10, 1920,	P.
R.	Buttrick, George A.,	Rutland,	Nov. 26, 1915,	P. I.
R.	Carlson, Thomas A.,	West Rutland,	Sept. 12, 1893,	P.
Ol.	Carroll, Walter C.,	Leyden, Mass.,	Sept. 23, 1919,	P.
Ch.	Cashmore, William,	Jericho,	Apr. 24, 1898,	P.
Wm.	Chapin, George F.,	Saxton's River,	Apr. 15, 1866,	P.
	Chase, Bernard L.,	Whiting,	Nov. 9, 1911,	P.
Wr.	Chase, Leland G.,	Wilder,	June, 9, 1919,	P.
	Cheeseman, Charles W.,	West Hartford,	July 12, 1920,	P.
R.	Claris, Charles C.,	Pittsford,	May 24, 1902,	P. I.
Og.	Clark, James S.,	Brookfield,	July 29, 1904,	P.
Ca.	Clark, Robert,	Lyndon,	June 18, 1907,	P.
Wm.	Clark, William C.,	Bakersfield,	Oct. 20, 1891,	P.
U.	Clarke, Clement G.,	Springfield,	1900,	P.
Wm.	Cornell, Alfred,	West Townshend,	Sept. 6, 1911,	W. C.
B.	Crathern, C. F. Hill,	Boston, Mass.,	Sept. 1, 1886,	W.C.
G. O.	Crewe, A. Reginald,		Jan. 1, 1910,	
L.	Cummings, Herbert W.,		Sept. 17, 1899,	W.C.
F.	Cummings, Stanley,	St. Albans,	June 2, 1916,	P.
Wm.	Curtis, Walter R.,	Westminster West,	June 25, 1884,	P.

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	Cutler, Elisha P.,	East Corinth,	Oct. 18, 1916,	P.
U.	Davies, Thomas D.,	Brattleboro,	Mar. 16, 1892,	W. C.
L.	Davis, Lemuel,	Accord, N. Y.,	May 17, 1897,	W. C.
Ol.	Davison, Frank E.,	Derby,	June 3, 1874,	P.
F.	Day, F. Wilson,	Swanton,	Oct. 2, 1903,	P.
Ol.	Dickey, Fred M.,	Washington, D. C.,	Jan. 9, 1891,	W. C.
A.	Dickinson, Charles H.,	Calhoun, Ala.,	Dec. 17, 1885,	W. C.
Ol.	Dierlamm, George H.,	East Charleston,	June 28, 1921,	P.
	Dixon, Herbert,	Norwich,	June 30, 1916,	P.
Og.	Dunton, A. Lincoln,	Lee Center, Ill.,	Jan. 27, 1897,	P.
Ol.	Edwards, Leland A.,	Newport,	May 13, 1897,	P. I.
Wr.	Eldridge, Ernest W.,	Peterboro, N. H.,	Apr. 23, 1893,	P.
	Evans, Joseph,	Granville, N. Y.,	1906,	P. I.
U.	Evans, William W.,	Northbridge Center, Mass.,	June 21, 1916,	P.
Ch.	Fay, Rollins B.,	Essex,	Sept. 13, 1883,	W. C.
	Fellowes, Edward C.,	Bellows Falls,	Oct. 1, 1891,	P.
Ca.	Fisher, Albert V.,	McIndoe Falls,	Sept. 27, 1906,	W. C.
	Fisk, Pliny H.,	East Berkshire,	Mar. 10, 1885,	P.
Wa.	Fiske, Elisha S.,	Montpelier,	Oct. 22, 1884,	W. C.
Wr.	Ford, Edward T.,	Hartford,	May 25, 1897,	P.
G. O.	Fraser, Donald,	Wells River,	Mar. 18, 1893,	P.
A.	Frazier, William F.,	Vergennes,	Apr. 16, 1911,	P.
Ca.	French, Edward G.,	Sawyerville, Que.,	Sept. 20, 1892,	W. C.
Wa.	Furness, George A.,	West Tisbury, Mass.,	May 5, 1898,	P.
B.	Gilbert, George H.,	Dorset,	July 14, 1886,	W. C.
Wr.	Gill, Charles O.,	Hartland,	July 25, 1894,	P.
L.	Goodliffe, George E.,	Morrisville,	June 22, 1915,	P.
Wa.	Goodspeed, Frank L.,	Barre,	June 29, 1887,	P.
Ca.	Gordon, Edwin R.,	Greensboro,	Oct. 7, 1910,	P.
Ca.	Grant, Edwin E.,	St. Johnsbury East,	July 29, 1898,	P.
Ca.	Gregg, Arthur E.,	Barnet,	Sept. 26, 1907,	P.
A.	Gulick, Hervey,	Salisbury,	Nov. 5, 1879,	W. C.
Wa.	Hale, Morton W.,	Centerbrook, Conn.,	Oct. 6, 1903,	P.
Ol.	Hall, Thomas,	Old Orchard, Me.,	July 28, 1866,	P. Em.
Ol.	Hamilton, Rollo A.,	Orleans,	Aug. 28, 1908,	P.
A.	Hamlin, Christopher R.,	Middlebury, R.F.D.2,	Oct. 22, 1899,	P.
B.	Hamlin, William R.,	North Bennington,	Oct. 26, 1905,	P.
L.	Hardy, Vitellus M.,	Morrisville,	Jan. 31, 1872,	W. C.
L.	Harned, Harry E.,	Cedar Rapids, Ia.,	Nov. 6, 1907,	P.
L.	Hatch, Charles A.,	Concord, Mass.,	June 7, 1912,	Tea.
B.	Haven, W. LeRoy,	Dorset.	Jan. 21, 1913,	P.
Wa.	Hayes, Edward C.,	Waterbury Center,	Feb. 26, 1903,	W. C.
Ch.	Hayward, Charles E.,	Stowe,	Aug. 3, 1895,	P.
Ch.	Hazen, Frank W.,	Richmond,	Sept. 22, 1897,	P.
Ch.	Hazen, William,	Bombay, India,	Sept. 23, 1897,	Miss.
Ch.	Hemenway, Frank W.,	Brooklyn, N. Y.,	Sept. 1889,	Sec.
Ch.	Herrick, Edward E.,	Milton.	Feb. 24, 1864,	W. C.
A.	Hilliard, D. Lee	Erving, Mass.,	Sept. 11, 1889,	P.
Wr.	Hines, Herbert H.,	Woodstock,	Oct. 28, 1920,	P. R.
Ca.	Hinman, Herbert J.,	Lyndonville,	Aug. 18, 1897,	P.
R.	Houghton, Ola R.,	Wallingford,	June 3, 1909,	P.
L.	Howard, Henry C.,	Jeffersonville,	Oct. 29, 1873,	P.
Ol.	Hutchinson, James J.,	Barton,	Apr. 20, 1906,	P.
L.	Hyde, Frank B.,	Newfane,	May 26, 1896,	P.
Ca.	Irons, John,	East Hardwick,	Nov. 1, 1898,	P.
A.	Isaacs, L. Myrven,	Collbran, Colo.,	Nov. 4, 1913,	P.
G. O.	Ives, Henry S.,	Newbury,	Oct. 26, 1886,	P.
F.	Jackson, W. Parkyn,		May 15, 1895,	
F.	Kent, Evarts,	Grafton, Mass.,	May 23, 1871,	P. Em.
B.	King, J. Duke,	Rupert,	Aug. 20, 1901,	P.
R.	Kingsbury, John H.,	Bardizag, Turkey,	Dec. 20, 1917,	Miss.
Wm.	Lamb, Henry,		Apr. 19, 1905,	W. C.
Og.	Lawrence, John A.,	Chelsea,	July 10, 1894,	W. C.
Ol.	Lawton, Robert,	Orwell,	May 5, 1895,	P.
Og.	Locke, J. Frank,	Vineland, N. J.,	Sept. 18, 1875,	W. C.
A.	Long, J. Hall,	New York, N. Y.,	June 24, 1903,	W. C.
Wa.	Lord, Amos J.,	Amherst, Mass.,	July 8, 1915	P.
Wr.	Lucas, Burton A.,	Windsor,	Sept. 15, 1897,	P.

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B.	Lyon, Clarence C.,	Peru,	Dec. 17, 1890,	P.
	Lytle, James A.,	Bradford,	May 20, 1901,	P. R.
Wr.	McClure, Robert W.,	Shaowu, China,	Sept. 19, 1914,	Miss.
A.	Macfarlane, William G.,	Westfield,	Sept. 2, 1913.	P.
R.	McIntire, William A.,	Danby,	Nov. 20, 1907,	P. I.
R.	McLeod, Robert G.,	Castleton,	June 14, 1905,	P.
G. O.	McNeill, Willima J.,	West Newbury,	Apr. 30, 1905,	P.
Ch.	Malzard, Francis J.,	Jericho Center,	Oct. 15, 1917,	P.
	Marsh, George B.,	Guildhall,	Oct. 3, 1916,	P.
F.	Mayhew, Wilmot M.,	St. Albans,	June 23, 1875,	W. C.
L.	Mercer, Arthur,	Hyde Park,	Dec. 15, 1901,	P.
Ch.	Merrill, Charles C.,	Burlington,	Oct. 12, 1897,	Sec.
Ca.	Merrill, Charles H.,	St. Johnsbury,	Nov. 8, 1870,	Sec.
U.	Metcalf, Leslie H.,	Windham,	June 9, 1898,	P.
Og.	Metzger, Fraser,	Randolph,	June 9, 1895,	P. I.
Ol.	Millar, William,	Essex Junction,	Dec. 11, 1907,	P.
B.	Mills, George S.,	Bennington,	July 24, 1895,	P. I.
Wm.	Mock, Charles W.,	Cotuit, Mass.,	July 16, 1914,	P.
Ca.	Morse, Charles H.,	St. Johnsbury,	Oct. 9, 1884,	W. C.
Wr.	Moseley, John H.,	South Royalton,	June 3, 1909,	P.
A.	Newell, Henry C.,	Middlebury,	Oct. 15, 1908,	P.
R.	Owen, John D.,	Fair Haven,	Oct. 10, 1915.	P. I.
	Page, Wesley E.,	New Haven,	June 15, 1897,	P.
Wr.	Partridge, Charles F.,	Woodstock,	Aug. 20, 1890,	W. C.
Wr.	Penney, Hugh,	Georgetown, Mass.,	June 12, 1919,	P.
B.	Perkins, Sidney K.,	Manchester,	July 20, 1880,	P. I.
Ca.	Perrin, J. Newton, Jr.,	St.Johnsbury East,	Sept. 20, 1892,	P.
Ol.	Peterson, Carl J.,	North Craftsbury,	Sept. 26, 1893,	P.
Wm.	Poelman, Theodore J.,	Wakefield, N. H.,	Oct. 11, 1916,	P.
Ca.	Poole, Francis A.,	St. Johnsbury,	July 12, 1893,	P. I.
Wm.	Prince, John C.,	Waterbury,	Apr. 3, 1911,	P.
Wa.	Ramage, James,	Barre.	Oct. 28, 1885,	P.
L.	Rand, Wilbur.	East Ryegate,	May 8, 1883,	W. C.
B.	Ravi-Booth, Vincent,	Bennington,	Apr. 9, 1905,	P.
Wa.	Remele, William A.,	Waitsfield,	Sept. 28, 1894,	P.
	Rice, E. LeRoy,	Derby Line,	1910,	P.
Ca.	Richards, Frederick B.,	St. Johnsbury,	Dec. 20, 1891,	P. I.
Wr.	Robbins, Edward E.,	Rochester,	Mar. 20, 1898,	P.
R.	Roberts, George B.,	Proctor,	Oct. 11, 1916,	P.
	Robertson, James G.,	South Strafford,	July 30, 1899,	P.
	Root, Theophilus H.,	Orleans,R.F.D.2,	Sept. 9, 1892,	P.
Ol.	Rose, Edwin,		Feb. 2, 1874,	W. C.
L.	Ross, Arthur B.,	Johnson,	May 1899,	P.
	Ross, George G.,	South Hero,	Oct. 29, 1902,	P.
A.	Ross, Thomas M.,		July 9, 1912,	
	Rotch, Caleb L.,	Coventry,	Oct. 8, 1879,	P.
Ch.	Rutan, Frederick N.,	Charlotte,	Oct. 16, 1887,	P.
Wa.	St. John, Charles N.,	Montpelier.	June 13, 1912,	P. I.
G. O.	Sargent, Arthur H.,	South Fairlee,	Mar. 29, 1910,	P.
Wa.	Sargent, James B.,	Northfield,	Sept. 15, 1897,	Sec.
	Searles, H. Clay,	East Fairfield,	Dec. 30, 1890,	P.
Wm.	Shaw, Henry H.,	Marlboro,	June 20, 1895,	P.
A.	Simmons, R. Barclay,	Middlefield, Mass.,	Jan. 26, 1915,	P.
G. O.	Slade, William,	Atlanta, Ga.,	Sept. 18, 1888,	Prof.
Ch.	Smart, I. Chipman,	Burlington,	June 9, 1885,	P. I.
Ch.	Smith, Clifford H.,	Ludlow,	Aug. 22, 1882,	P.
Og.	Sparhawk, Willis T.,	College Hill, O.,	June 29, 1900,	Tea.
Wa.	Stacy, Frank L.,	Cabot.	Oct. 22, 1915,	P.
R.	Strong, David H.,	Shelburne Falls, Mass,	June 16, 1885,	W. C.
R.	Swanson, Charles,	Proctor,	June 27, 1910,	P.
U.	Taylor, Frederick C.,	Londonderry,	Dec. 10, 1891,	P.
Og.	Taylor, William,	East Providence, R. I.,	June 5, 1908,	P.
Ch.	Thomas, Evan,	Burlington,	Aug. 29, 1883,	Prof.
A.	Thomas, John M.,	State College, Pa.,	June 9,1893,	Pres.
R.	Thorpe, Walter,	Brandon,	Apr. 14, 1903,	P.
Og.	Tracy, Charles K.,	Collinsville, Conn.,	May 27,1904,	P.
Og.	Tupper, Leland E.,	Post Mills,	Feb. 23,1887,	W. C.
Ca.	Tupper, Miles G.,	St. Johnsbury Ctr.,	Sept. 10, 1903,	P.

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U.	Vincent, Samuel L.,	Townshend,	Oct. 23,1878,	W.C.
F.	Vradenburg, Edgar S.,	Schenectady, N. Y.,	Feb. 7, 1906,	P.
	Walsh, Charles E.,	Williamstown,	Sept. 2, 1909,	P.
Ca.	Ward, Hiram Q.,	Zephyr Hills, Fla.,	June 30, 1887,	W.C.
Ol	Warner, Wilmond A.,	Peacham.	Oct. 19, 1887,	P.
Ca.	Wattie, Charles,	West Stockbridge, Mass.,	July 2, 1896.	P.
Wm.	Wild, Edward W.,	Fryeburg, Me.,	Oct. 27, 1914,	P.
Wr.	Wild, Levi,	Royalton,	May 3, 1893,	W. C.
B.	Winch, Mabel T.,	East Arlington.	Sept. 30, 1914,	P.
Wm.	Wiswall, Fred M.,	Newfane,	Apr. 30, 1890,	W. C.
Wm.	Woodin, Herbert P.,	Brattleboro,	June 23, 1892,	P. I.
Wm.	Woodworth, Arthur V.,	West Brattleboro,	Jan. 14, 1901,	P.
Wa.	Wright, Frank C.,	Roxbury,	Sept. 14, 1920,	P.
A.	Young, E. Vernon.	North Troy,	June 21, 1914,	P.

LICENTIATES

	Beyer, Richard F.,	North Pomfret,	S.
A.	Brainerd, Ezra,	Middlebury,	Pres. Em.
G. O.	Carvell, Clinton W.,	Newmarket, N. H.,	S.
A.	Collins, Edwin D.,	Middlebury,	Prof.
Ch.	Emerson, Samuel F.,	Burlington,	Prof.
Ca.	Fitt, Arthur P.,		
A.	Hendry, Guy C.,		
	Hoag, William D.,	Alburg,	S.
	Shaw, Everett L.,	Bethel,	S.
Ol.	Southard, C. Eugene,	Tyngsboro, Mass.,	S.
	Walkley, Frances S.,	Gaysville,	S.
Wa.	Woodbury, Carl V.,	Northfield,	S.
G. O.	Worcester, George S.,	Thetford,	

MINISTERS OF OTHER DENOMINATIONS

Supplying Congregational Churches

Abbott, Albert,	M. E.	Sheldon
Barnes, Eldred L. M.,	M. E.	Fairlee
Cady, R. M.,	M. E.	Lowell and Eden
Chase, William B.,	Bapt.	Tyson
Collins, Cyrus L.,	M. E.	Pawlet
Congdon, George E.,	Bapt.	Grafton and Cambridgeport
Cornell, G. C.,	M. E.	Hinesburg
Dennison, James M.,	M. E.	South Wardsboro
Douglass, Glenn W.,	M. E.	Lunenburg
Douglass, William E.,	M. E.	Post Mills
Gray, J. Cross,	M. E.	Duxbury
Green, Roy E.,	M. E.	Cambridge
Greengrass, R. G.,	Bapt.	West Charleston
Hagadorn, Fred M.,	M. E.	Bristol
Kelton, Herbert L.,	M. E.	Middletown Springs
MacColl, John A.,	Pres.	North Pownal
Marshall, W. M.,	M. E.	Williston
Mitchell, James C.,	M. E.	Tunbridge
Peverly, Frank,	M. E.	Franklin
Sprague, L. Huntley,	Bapt.	Jamaica
Suitor, Sydney G.,	M. E.	East Burke
Talbot, Stephen H.,	Bapt.	Colchester
Vey, Walter,	M. E.	North Thetford
White, W. W.,	Bapt.	Westford
Woodmansee, C. M.,	M. E.	Salisbury

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Domestic Missionary

Society

ANNUAL

MEETING

1921

OFFICERS OF VERMONT DOMESTIC MISSIONARY SOCIETY

President—PROF. GEORGE H. PERKINS.
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Representing Associations: Term expires 1922—Rev. William F. Frazier, Vergennes; Rev. Donald Fraser, Wells River; Carlton D. Howe, Morrisville; Rev. William A. McIntire, Danby; Rev. William J. Ballou, Chester; H. Gordon Woodruff, Montpelier; Rev. Herbert P. Woodin, Brattleboro.

Term expires 1923—Rev. Vincent Ravi-Booth, Bennington; John E. Tinker, Danville; Frank E. McIntosh, Burlington; Cornelius L. Smith, Swanton; March M. Wilson, Randolph; Rev. Rollo A. Hamilton, Orleans; Frederick P. Campbell, Wilder.

Executive Committee

H. Gordon Woodruff, Mrs. E. D. Burditt, Rev. W. A. McIntire, Frank E. McIntosh, Rev. Stanley Cummings.

Finance Committee

Charles H. Newell, Jonas H. Brooks, John E. Tinker, Rev. C. H. Merrill.

Members of C. H. M. S.

For one year—Rev. C. H. Smith, Ludlow; Prof. C. B. Wright, Middlebury.

For two years—Geo. L. Dunham, Brattleboro; Rev. Henry C. Newell, Middlebury.

ANNUAL MEETING

The 103rd annual meeting of the Vermont Domestic Missionary Society was held in the First Congregational Church at Vergennes, May 11, 1921, and was called to order by President Nathan G. Williams at 10.00 A. M., in accordance with notices published in the Vermont Missionary and the Burlington Free Press.

Devotions were conducted by Rev. F. E. Davison of Derby, assisted by the Straight College quartet.

The President nominated and the Society elected the following Nominating Committee: Rev. Henry L. Ballou, C. P. Cooper, Rev. Frederick B. Richards.

The report of the late Treasurer, John T. Ritchie, for the year 1920 was presented by the present Treasurer, Charles H. Newell, and together with the Auditor's certificate was accepted.

The report of the Directors was presented by the Secretary, Rev. Charles H. Merrill, and was accepted.

"The Day's Work in Five Vermont Churches" was presented in brief addresses by the following:

Rev. George B. Marsh, Guildhall; Rev. Clarence C. Lyon, Peru; Miss Frances S. Walkley, Gaysville; Rev. Joseph Evans, West Pawlet; Rev. Miles E. Bacon, Bridgewater.

In view of his declination of further service as President, General N. G. Williams briefly addressed the Society and on motion of Rev. William A. McIntire, in behalf of the Board of Directors, the following resolution was adopted:

Resolved, that in view of the retirement of General Nathan G. Williams of Bellows Falls from the office of President of the Vermont Domestic Missionary Society after a service of four years which was preceded by a service of 19 years as Vice-President, the Society wishes to put on record its appreciation of the constant interest which General Williams has taken in the work of the Society during all these years and of the fidelity with which he has sought to promote its welfare.

This resolution was adopted unanimously.

The Nominating Committee reported through Chairman Rev. Henry L. Ballou the following list of officers:

President, Prof. George H. Perkins, Burlington; Vice-President, Rev. Leland A. Edwards, Newport; Auditor, John C. Clark, St. Johnsbury; Directors-at-Large, Rev. Stanley Cummings, St. Albans; Jonas H. Brooks, St. Johnsbury.

Representing Associations: Term expires 1923—Rev. Vincent Ravi-Booth, Bennington; John E. Tinker, Danville; Frank E. McIntosh, Burlington; Cornelius L. Smith, Swanton; March M. Wilson, Randolph; Rev. Rollo A. Hamilton, Orleans.

The report was accepted and adopted, the above officers being thereby elected.

The Society adjourned its 103rd annual meeting with prayer by Rev. Edward C. Fellowes of Bellows Falls.

CHARLES C. MERRILL, Associate Secretary

The Board of Directors met according to notice that had been given at the close of the morning session of the Society, in the lecture room of the First Congregational Church of Vergennes Wednesday, May 11, 1921, and elected the following officers and committees:

Secretary, Charles H. Merrill; Associate Secretary, Rev. Charles C. Merrill; Treasurer, Charles H. Newell; Auditor, John C. Clark; Executive Committee, H. Gordon Woodruff, Mrs. E. D. Burditt, Rev. William A. McIntire, Frank E. McIntosh, Rev. Stanley Cummings; Finance Committee, Charles H. Newell, Jonas H. Brooks, John E. Tinker, Rev. Charles H. Merrill.

CHARLES C. MERRILL, Associate Secretary

DIRECTORS' REPORT FOR THE CALENDAR YEAR 1920

In Memory of Treasurer Ritchie

The following is taken from the Minutes of the Directors:

"At a meeting of the Board of Directors of the Vermont Domestic Missionary Society held February 18, 1921, action was taken to put on record their appreciation of the long and faithful services gratuitously given by their late Treasurer, Deacon John T. Ritchie, who died January 4, 1921.

Accordingly it was

Resolved: That in the death of Deacon John T. Ritchie, for eighteen years Treasurer of this Society, the Directors recognize the heavy loss sustained in the removal of an officer who has so long and faithfully served in so responsible a position. His position as banker, and his experience in financial affairs enabled him in a way none of his predecessors had to secure favorable investments and contribute to the large increase in endowment, in trust and in reserve funds, that brought the total to a seven-fold enlargement during his years of administration. His interest in the Society was unflagging. He took great pleasure in thus contributing to the larger interests of the church and the progress of the Divine Kingdom."

This is no merely formal tribute. Especially do the executive officers who had so good a chance to understand Mr. Ritchie's character and service feel like echoing it. Volunteer service such as his must ever be the chief reliance for the vitality of an organization like ours. It must also be the chief reliance for the progress, indeed the existence, of the Kingdom of God on earth.

Financial

1. **Invested Funds.** The funds held in trust for churches stood as of January 1, 1921 at $47,511.90, a gain of $3063.94. Ten years ago these stood at $18,196. There has thus been a gain in the decade of $29,316.90 or 161 per cent. This striking increase points the way for other churches who wish their principal safely

invested, their income assured, a somewhat larger rate of income (five percent) than is given by Savings Banks, and a freedom from the embarassment which arises when for example, local trustees are importuned to loan the church's money to some doubtful enterprise or real estate owner in their own community, and when they need to insist upon arrears of interest money from some fellow-citizen.

The Annuity Funds, the income of which is paid to donors until their death when the principal can be turned into the Society's General Fund, stood at $4500, the same as last year. Correspondence concerning this Annuity Fund is invited with persons who wish to give a sum of money to the Society but feel the need of retaining the income on it during their life time. The rate of income is graded according to the donor's age.

The Permanent Fund stood at $8000, the same as last year, the Memorial Fund at $2550, a gain of $25; and the General Fund (or Legacy Reserve Account) at $29,123, a decrease of $3063.94. This decrease will be discussed later. The total invested funds of the Society on which income accrues to the Society alone stood as of January 1 at $44,173, a decrease of $3038.94, all of it in the General or Legacy Reserve Fund. The present goal for the invested funds, which shall be a permanent endowment for the Society is $100,000. We have yet about $56,000 to go.

2. **Receipts on Regular Account.** Leaving World Movement receipts for later consideration, there was received during the year 1920:

		Budget Estimate
From contributions	$9697.77	$9300.00
From legacies	48.50	3000.00
From interest	2591.44	3000.00
Total	$12,337.71	$15,300.00

The contributions include what came from churches and individuals, after the net adjustment of receipts with the Congregational Home Missionary Society, viz. $7099.94; the amount received from the Woman's Home Missionary Union of Vermont,

$2534.43; and occasional supply work of the Secretaries and Pastors-at-Large $63.00. The interest amount is of course, less the trust and annuity fund interest that went to annuitants. The fact that a smaller amount was received from interest than called for by the budget estimate seems to be explained partly by the change in the fiscal year and partly by an overestimate. The difference between the amount received from legacies and the amount of the budget estimate is, it will be noticed, within about $100, of the decrease previously shown in the General Funds or the Legacy Reserve Account and substantially explains that decrease. Taking a ten-year look backward the legacy receipts have totalled $34,571.61 or an average of $3457 per year. Two years during this period there were no legacy receipts at all, again only $500. It may also be noted that already $2000 has been received in legacies during 1921 and more is in sight from at least one estate in process of settlement.

While this policy of devoting to current expenditures each year somewhat less than an average expectancy of legacy receipts, whether or not they come in that year, is quite a justifiable one and is a common practice among other well-managed Societies, our strong desire is that during the year 1921 the contributions from the churches shall be large enough so that all the legacies of the year can be used for the increasing of the permanent endowment fund.

3. Expenditures

	1920	Budget
For church work (churches and fields)	$8714.97	$7815.00
Salaries of Officers	4196.14	4125.00
Expenses of Officers	1830.39	1763.63
Vermont Missionary, (share of deficit)	166.78	250.00
Other printing, including Minutes and Stationery	170.82	300.00
Middlebury Convocation (Travel and Board of Pastors)	169.01	300.00
Miscellaneous and Margin	351.27	896.37
	$15,599,38	$15,300.00

The miscellaneous item is made up as follows: Insurance, $14.24; legal service in connection with legacy (received in 1921) $100.70; appropriation for Federation House at Camp Devens, $200; General Theological Library, $15; advertising for ministers, $14.50; general, $6.83. The increase of $900 over the budget estimate in the item of church work indicates that more has been attempted, and we hope, accomplished in this central feature of our expenditures. For example, the expenditure for the itinerant department, which is virtually summer work, was nearly twice what it was the year before.

4. **World Movement Account.** Following the plan of the National Societies in the World Movement Canvass last April and May, an outline was given of the way in which increased contributions would be expended for work in Vermont. Following that outline we have the following expenditures on account of the year 1920:

Increase in salaries of nine pastors—6 months	$ 595.35
New work in six fields	680.85
Pastor-at-Large work	
Salaries and expenses Rev. A. S. Bole (12 months) and Rev. E. G. French (4 months)	2938.96
Middlebury Convocation—Speakers and arrangements	496.40
Emergency account—Moving expenses two pastors of aided churches	205.00
	$4,916.56

Against this expenditure, there was received $2080.95 from the World Movement Fund, as of the year 1920. If the pledges to that Fund are fully paid, it is expected that the balance due of $2845.30 on this account will be met as well as a large share, if not all, of the expenditures under it for the first four months of 1921. The principal item of this account, the Pastor-at-Large work, will be discussed later. Here it may be said that the World Movement encouraged us to raise salaries that we hope will never be lowered and to enter upon new work from which we hope we shall not have to retreat. We also trust that the Convocation has been put upon a permanent financial basis.

5. **Woman's Home Missionary Union.** The unprecedented sum received from this source during the year under review—($2534.83 as compared with $1164 in 1917, $820 in 1918 and $1295 during the nine months' fiscal year of 1919) is due to a readjustment of their plan of work by which they give to our Society its full percentage according to the regular apportionment plan for Homeland work. Their willingness to make this adjustment, involving as it did some radical changes in the amounts given to some objects to which they had long been contributing, is a fine exhibition of the spirit that "plays the game," and it is deeply appreciated. The contributions of the women of Vermont are indeed a bulwark to our treasury.

6. **The Vermont Missionary.** When the club rate for this paper was raised to twenty-five cents and the individual rate to thirty-five cents, it was feared that the subscription list might be considerably lowered. Such has not proved to be the case. While the deficit has been decreased, it has not been destroyed. Including what the Vermont Branch of the Woman's Board and the Woman's Home Missionary Union paid toward the deficit, the cost of the paper above subscriptions was $321.04 or thirty-eight per cent of the total cost. There are now about 3400 paid subscribers. Cannot the number be increased by at least fifteen hundred, which would make the paper virtually self-supporting. Let that be one of the goals for this year.

Work on the Fields

Forty missionaries have labored in 37 fields giving 26 years, eight months and three weeks service. Ordinary fields 30, itinerant 10, duplicate 3, leaving 37. Missionaries in ordinary fields 30, in itinerant 10, total 40. This shows an increase of three missionaries and one field. The length of service is proportionately about the same when it is taken into account that this report covers the calendar year and the one previous only nine months. Ten other fields were helped on the dollar for dollar plan making the total number 47.

The additions were: By confession 50, by letter 36, total 86. Removals: By dismissal 40, by death 37, by revision of roll 11,

total 88. Net loss 2. The nine months previous there was a gain of 40.

Comments and Characteristics

The following extracts from the reports of a single month or quarter, taken at random, show some of the encouragements, events and difficulties which characterized our pastors' work:

"The summer work promises to be encouraging, and many non-church goers have been reached and brought to the church service by our Automobile Club. We are enrolling all who cannot attend church or Sunday School in the Home Department. The greatest hindrance is that people will not pull together."

"The children are coming to Sunday School as never before since my work began. On May 27th the people at a bean supper at the church voted to have a Community Fair Wednesday, August 4. This is the first time I have found them ready to do a big thing together."

"Last Sunday four young people in one family were received into the church. The baptismal service (at the request of the mother of the four) was held beside the sparkling waters of Broad Brook, in which the baptism was performed by immersion. The perfect day and beautiful natural surroundings made this a service most memorable and impressive."

"We have been seriously affected by the removal of members of the church. In some things we have been obliged to begin all over again owing to the loss of leaders."

"A Father and Son's banquet was held in which eighty-three men and boys sat down together and enjoyed a social evening. A number of speeches were made by the townsmen. The orchestra was in attendance. A union communion service was held on the second Sunday in which ninety-nine members from both churches were present. A union choir added to the inspiration of the service. The Union Young People's Society are making the canvass for the Tuberculosis Drive. They are also planning for a series of cottage prayer meetings in the outer districts. The two pastors go out calling together, taking every house on a road. A greater interest in union services is manifesting itself and is adding strength to the community work." (This church has since federated with its sister Methodist church and the Missionary aid of $300 is no longer needed.)

The Pastor-at-Large Work

As we go on further with this missionary task among the smaller communities of Vermont we are more and more impressed

with the necessity of keeping in close personal contact with it. Letters have their sharp limitations and one mustn't try to do too much by telephone. This is one primary reason for the work of the two Pastors-at-Large, one of whom, Rev. A. S. Bole, has continued the fine service he began last year; and the other of whom, Rev. E. G. French, came into the Pastorate-at-Large as a natural consequence of his intimate and successful contact with the churches as field representative for the Congregational World Movement.

To make more definite the service of the Pastors-at-Large, here are the sorts of things they have done during the past year:

(1) Visit churches to make sure they really need aid and as much aid as they think they do; (2) help churches raise increased budgets; (3) hold series of meetings to deepen Christian life, to encourage churches in the face of difficulties and to win folks to Christ; (4) have conferences with pastors and church committees to formulate and adopt a larger program of service, with visits to aid in carrying out the program; (5) shepherd pastorless churches; (6) supplement the work of non-resident pastors; (7) take an especially difficult field and prepare it for the coming of a permanent pastor; (8) assist the Secretaries in office, pastoral supply and field work.

We asked Messrs. Bole and French to give for our own information some account of their work and, though they did not write for publication, we cannot do better than present extracts from their reports.

From Mr. Bole:

"I have kept no account of the number of places visited and for what purposes, or the number of miles travelled by train, by stage and by automobile, but from examination of my expense account for carfare and for gasoline I estimate that for the past Conference year from May to May, I have travelled on errands of the State work eight thousand miles by automobile, ten thousand miles by train and perhaps five hundred miles by stage and, including pastoral calling at Bridgewater and walking between towns and staging stations to save time, probably two hundred miles on foot. I have had some part, more or less, in the locating of men at East Charleston, Coventry, North Troy, Roxbury, Guildhall, Bakersfield, Marshfield, Warren and Bridgewater.

I have assisted in pastoral calling at East Braintree and West Brookfield and made a visitation in Franklin, trying in some measure to prepare the way for the federation which has now been consummated. I supervised more or less the student supply work last summer, had charge for a month or six weeks at Guildhall and spent ten weeks in Bridgewater on reconstruction work. I have been sent on numerous errands as "trouble man" to straighten out difficulties of various kinds and have contributed from time to time to the Vermont Missionary news items, editorials, etc."

From Mr. French:

"I have held special services in North Hyde Park, Lyndon, West Newbury, East Arlington, Peru, Cornwall and two different series in Guilford. The effort in these places has been to bring encouragement and help to both pastor and people. I have tried to humanize and sweeten religion by making God more real and by lifting common toil and service and business to a higher plane. In four places I have helped the pastors and churches to raise the money for local expenses. In four other churches I have spent a week or more in each field doing special pastoral work, assisting the pastors who were over-worked or where there was no pastor. To fourteen other fields I have gone on special missions, such as the granting of State aid, clearing up difficulties, seeing which way the wind blows and getting reports of the earthquake! It is very easy to mention the names of the places where I worked and the number of miles I have travelled, and over five thousand of them have been since January 1, 1921, but it is not so easy to reduce this kind of work to statistics. It cannot be done. I do believe, however that as I go among the churches, I can see a building up of the morale of the ministers, and the churches are beginning to see the real world-wide work of Congregationalism more clearly than ever and there is a team-work spirit among the men and churches stronger than I have ever seen before. More intimate relations have been established between the office and the pastors and churches and a closer supervision given to the aided churches all of which makes, I believe, for greater efficiency in our churches."

(Mr. French also spent considerable time in the State Office, of which he does not speak).

The value of work like this is at once apparent, as well as the exact niche which it fills in our polity. Congregational churches do not care to be "superintended" or "supervised" in a technical sense; they do not ask to be visited once in so often to

see how they are getting on. But real errands, to meet definite needs, to lend a hand when a signal of distress is displayed, for this there is a very sure place. There is also a sure place for such visiting among our aided churches as shall insure, so far as it can be insured, that their own resources, financial and otherwise, are being developed to the utmost and that they are really setting an example to non-aided churches in quality of service to their communities.

A Question of Personality

We quote from Mr. Bole again:

"The one emphatically encouraging reaction to the actual experience of the year is the point proved and settled in my own mind, that reconstruction is a practical possibility and that the down and out church can come back if we can provide the right leadership. The Bridgewater experience has demonstrated to me beyond a shadow of a doubt that so-called outsiders will respond to modern, sane presentation of religion in terms that ring true to human experience. Give us the leaders, unselfish, manly men, lovers of humans and we can redeem country life conditions, and put the church on the map again as the head and center of the community life. But the men? There is the rub. We got ———————— but he is one of a thousand. You could pick out a dozen men at random and I will warrant that not one of them will hold that situation for six weeks. It is a new type of leader that is required, for a new line job. He can be sixty-eight years old but he must have new vision and think in terms of the present. This leads me to say that our real task is a hunt for men."

This is hitting the nail squarely on the head. In proof let us give something of what a man says who is leaving one of our aided churches again to become pastor of a city church:

"Some years ago I was called from a church of one hundred fifty members to another of nearly five hundred. The opportunity for service was greater and the larger salary I really needed. I was quite happy over the prospects. Several old-time friends, most of them my college mates, congratulated me sincerely. They considered the change an advance in my ministerial work. I do not feel a bit that way this time. I have not finished my job here. I haven't done anything like what I had in mind when I came to this little country charge. I don't care to be congratulated at all for going to a larger church, because

I consider the work here far more difficult and demanding a better man than I now think I am. I am not sure that the Community Church will solve the problem. But of this I feel certain: the minister ought to be a most versatile religious worker, able to help the community socially; the leader in education, agriculture; the grower of the finest fruits and garden stuffs; owner of no scrub cow, hens, or anything else under grade. He must set the example to help a poor community like this to keep house, do better farming, and give his reasons for believing in high grade stuff and stock. Before we help a community like this religiously we must help the folks to prosper. Too many houses here are not fit for humans to live in; the stock is scrubby; parents must be encouraged, compelled to help their children to attend school. There is need of another Oberlin. He began at twenty-seven and spent his whole life as you know. And what did he not do to help his people! So please don't talk to me about leaving for a larger work! The big job, if done as above outlined, is **here.** I need better personal equipment to finish it."

Shall Vermont be Christianized? The answer hinges upon whether men like us are up to it. Have we the singleness of aim, the resourcefulness, the resoluteness, the patience, the wisdom, the forgetfulness of self, the constraining empowering love of Christ which qualifies us at all for the task? "Every athlete practices self-restraint all round; but while they do it to win a fading wreath. we do it for an unfading. Well, I am without swerving; I do not plant my blows upon the empty air—no, I maul and master my body, in case, after preaching to other people, I am disqualified myself." (I Cor. 9: 25-27)

For the Directors,

C. C. MERRILL,
C. H. MERRILL,
Secretaries

ORDINARY DEPARTMENT

A TABULAR VIEW OF AIDED CHURCHES FROM JANUARY 1, 1920 TO JANUARY 1, 1921

Number	FIELDS	MISSIONARIES	Date of Commission	Length of Commission	Aid Pledged	Months of Service	Added: Conversions	Added: By Confession	Added: By Letter	Removed: Dismissed	Removed: Died	Removed: Excluded	Resident Members	Male Members	Non-residents	Average Congregation	No. in Sunday School	Benevolences: Home Missions	Benevolences: Other Objects
1	Arlington, East	Mabel T. Winch	Apr. 1, '20	12	150	12	0	3	2	1	0	0	59	18	17	50	63	24.13	97.00
2	Barre, East	James Ramage	Jan. 1, '20	12	250	12	0	0	3	0	1	0	35	8	15	48	60	10.00	136.00
3	Braintree, East and Brookfield, West	Carl V. Woodbury	Jan. 1, '20	12	250	12	0	0	0	5	4	0	64	14	29	25	37	23.49	100.00
4	Brattleboro, Swedish	Anders C. Peterson	Nov. 1, '20	12	144	12	2	2	0	2	0	0	37	15	4	19	32	5.00	25.00
5	Charleston, East	Walter C. Carroll	Mar. 1, '19	12	300	3	1	0	2	4	2	0	48	18	26	40	50	5.00	45.00
		Geo. H. Dierlamm	Oct. 1, '20	12	250	3													
6	Eden	Frank L. Stacy	Oct. 1, '20	12	500	12	0	0	6	1	0	0	9	3	9	13	17	1.00	12.00
7	Fairfield, East	A. B. Ross	Oct. 1, '19	12	150	10	1	1	1	1	1	0	46	15	0	32	20	7.00	68.00
8	Fair Haven, Welsh	John D. Owen	Jan. 1, '20	12	200	12	5	0	0	0	3	0	60	18	8	40	30	13.10	20.90
9	Franklin	Arthur Brotherston	Jan. 1, '20	12	300	12	0	6	4	3	1	0	52	18	21	40	54	12.00	11.00
10	Gaysville	Levi Wild	Sept. 20, '19	12	250	9	2	2	2	1	0	2	16	5	4	37	40	13.00	69.00
		Frances S. Walkley	Nov. 1, '20	12	312	2													
11	Guilford	A. V. Woodworth	Dec. 1, '19	12	100	12	5	4	0	2	0	0	32	22	20	22	25	25.00	77.00
12	Guildhall	G. B. Marsh	Nov. 1, '20	12	200	2	0	0	3	0	2	0	16	7	14	30	45	10.00	10.00
13	Hartford, West	Chas. W. Cheeseman	July 1, .20	12	400	6	0	0	0	2	2	1	38	18	16	30	80	18.98	208.00
14	Hartland	Edward C. Fellows	Jan. 1, '20	12	212	12	0	0	2	0	0	0	43	12	21	33	83	41.07	169.00
		Chas. O. Gill	Oct. 1, '20	12	75	3													
15	Londonderry	F. C. Taylor	Jan. 1, '20	12	150	12	5	1	2	3	0	2	31	14	17	31	40	15.00	66.00
16	Lowell	Frank L. Stacy	Oct. 1, '19	9	100	9	0	0	0	2	0	0	25	13	23	40	8	18.00	212.00
17	Marlboro	Henry H. Shaw	Jan. 1, '20	12	200	12	1	0	1	1	0	0	20	9	9	23	20	11.35	25.00
18	Marshfield	Geo. A. Furness	Feb. 17, '19	12	200	12	2	2	0	0	1	0	36	10	7	31	51	12.00	111.00
19	Morgan	Walter C. Carroll	July 1, '19	12	25	3	0	0	1	2	0	0	15	8	3	27	21	8.00	45.00
20	Newbury, West	W. J. McNeil	Mar. 1, '19	12	200	12	12	8	0	0	0	0	27	11	17	31	30	48.00	84.00
21	Peru	Clarence C. Lyon	Aug. 1, '20	12	200	12	1	0	0	0	1	0	47	16	1	40	40	7.00	75.00
22	Roxbury	Frank C. Wright	July 1, '20	12	150	6	12	4	1	0	0	0	27	9	15	65	30	10.00	32.25
23	Rutland Center; Swedish	Charles Swanson	Nov. 1, '20	12	100	2	0	0	0	2	1	0	40	18	0	35	25	3.00	18.00
24	Townshend, West	Wm. F. Bissell	Dec. 1, '19	12	100	12	0	0	0	0	0	0	23	5	10	28	44	17.29	49.46
25	Tyson	Wm. J. Ballou	Jan. 1, '20	12	150	4	1	1	0	0	0	0	23	11	15	20	32	41.00	53.00
26	Vershire	Geo. H. Dierlamm	Oct. 1, '19	12	350	8	0	0	3	1	0	0	28	12	25	50	30	8.00	0.00
27	Warren	A. Gifford	Nov. 1, '20	12	200	2	5	5	0	0	4	0	31	14	9	45	50	22.00	114.00
28	West Fairlee	A. H. Sargent	Jan. 1, '20	12	100	12	0	0	0	0	4	0	15	1	6	25	32	22.00	5.00
29	Windham	Leslie H. Metcalf	Aug. 1, '20	12	150	12	0	0	0	2	3	5	19	7	31	30	24	24.00	126.00
30	Woodbury, South	Morton W. Hale	Sept. 1, '19	12	100	7	1	1	0	2	2	0	13	6	9	32	26	10.00	0.00

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Number	FIELDS	MISSIONARIES	Date of Commission	Length of Commission	Aid Pledged	Months of Service	Added			Removed			Resident Members	Male Members	Non-residents	Average Congregation	No. in Sunday School	Contributions	
							Conversions	By Confession	By Letter	Dismissed	Died	Excluded						Home Missions	Other Objects
1	Bakersfield	Samuel L. Reid	June 20, '20	3	60	3	11	5	2	0	2	1	66	36	39	74	70	4.20	185.80
2	Charleston, East	C. W. Dunham	June 27, '20	2¾	55	2¾	*									51	50	5.00	45.00
3	Dover, West	F. C. Wilson	June 26, '20	3	54	3	0	1	0	0	1	0	4	1	4	55	35	5.00	24.00
4	Granby	Clara C. Barrows	June 13, '20	1½	105	1½	0	0	0	0	0	0	8	4	6	25	25	4.00	12.00
5	Hyde Park, North	Susie E. Durfee	June 2, '20	4	55	4	0	0	0	3	0	0	13	6	20	28	35	10.00	55.00
6	Plymouth	Gordon C. Shedd	June 3, '20	4¾	258	4¾	†									32	30	26.66	5.29
7	Simonsville	E. H. Stevens	Jan. 1, '20	12	275	12	0	0	0	0	2	0	2	5	10	25	20	50.00	0.00
8	Sherburne	E. L. Novak	June 17, '20	3	24	3	4	4	0	0	0	0	17	9	6	39	40	5.00	0.00
9	Tyson	Wm. B. Chase	Oct. 1, '20	3	48	3	*									59	80	41.00	53.00
10	Warren	Frank C. Seymour	June 3, '20	3¾	175	3¾	*											22.00	114.00

*—See Ordinary Department

†—No Church Organization

TREASURER'S REPORT

John T. Ritchie, Treasurer

In Account with the Vermont Domestic Missionary Society
Year Ending December 31, 1920

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To cash on hand January 1, 1920		$ 1,113.69
Contributions:		
Churches and Individuals		8,819.86
W. H. M. U.		2,534.83
Pastors at Large Account		125.00
World Movement Account		2,080.95
Supply of Secretaries and Pastors at Large		63.00
Legacy Balance Elizabeth W. Kimball Est.		48.50
Memorial Fund Orrin and Martha Hubbard		25.00
Trust Funds		3,000.00
Interest		5,031.95
Vermont Missionary:		
Subscriptions	$512.96	
W. H. M. U.	102.84	
W. B. M.	51.42	667.22
C. H. M. S. Adjustment of Percentage		720.59
Investments Paid		6,075.00
Lumber Account		1,701.66
		$32,007.25

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Churches Aided:	
Grants	$ 5,113.30
Dollar for Dollar Plan	2,483.18
Interest	1,118.49
World Movement Fund	1,286.20
Salaries:	
Secretary	1,000.01
Associate Secretary	2,883.43
Treasurer	187.60
Officers' Expenses:	
Travel, Secretary	36.72
Travel, Associate Secretary	409.88
Travel, Directors	110.30
Travel, Treasurer	9.54
Telephone and Telegraph:	
Secretary	.80

Associate Secretary	229.49
Office Supplies:	
Secretary	1.15
Associate Secretary	66.72
Office Rent: Associate Secretary	130.00
Postage:	
Secretary	16.30
Associate Secretary	135.46
Treasurer	18.65
Stenography: Associate Secretary	665.38
Miscellaneous Expense	250.57
Printing and Stationery:	
Directors' Report	11.25
Annual Minutes	90.89
Other Printing and Stationery	68.68
Vermont Missionary	834.00
Pastors at Large Account:	
Salary, Rev. A. S. Bole	1,587.50
Salary, Rev. E. G. French	600.00
Expense, Rev. A. S. Bole	648.46
Expense, Rev. E. G. French	128.00
Auto and Repair, Rev. A. S. Bole	100.00
Middlebury Convocation:	
Speakers, etc.	496.40
Board of Ministers of Aided Churches	104.21
Travel of Ministers of Aided Churches	64.80
Expense of Moving Two Missionaries	205.00
Legal Service Regarding Legacy	100.70
Interest Paid on Trust Funds and Annuities	2,254.55
Funds Invested and Re-invested	5,638.44
C. H. M. S. Adjustment of Percentage	2,440.51
Cash on hand	480.69
	$32,007.25

Statement of Securities of
The Vermont Domestic Missionary Society
January 1, 1921

MORTGAGES

A. P. Bratt	$ 6,000.00
Henry C. Mueller	6,500.00
Columbia Land Investment Co.	2,000.00
Iva A. Norbury	5,000.00
Chas. L. Buchanan	1,500.00
G. B. Stark	3,000.00

Mary Flannery	1,250.00
Bessie Bower	3,000.00
Josie Colvin	2,000.00
W. M. Taylor	6,400.00
J. W. C. Smith	1,000.00
Mozell V. Smith	3,000.00
Alfred J. Printz	2,500.00
Laura E. Snead	2,500.00
Joseph S. Barnett	3,000.00
C W. Hawkins	1,400.00
E. R. Amend	1,700.00
	$51,750.00

BONDS

U. S. Liberty	$2,000.00
American Tel. & Telg. Co. Conv.	2,000.00
New York, New Haven and Hartford Conn. R. R. Co.	2,000.00
Western Union Tel. Co.	2,000.00
Ogdensburg & Lake Champlain	1,000.00
Northern Pacific	2,000.00
Rutland Canadian R. R. Co.	1,000.00
Imperial Russian Government Co.	3,000.00
St. Louis Transit Co.	1,000.00
	$16,000.00

STOCKS

31 Shares Penn. R. R. Co.	$ 1,550.00
20 Shares N. Y., N. Haven & Hartford R. R.	2,000.00
10 Shares U. S. Steel, Pfd.	1,000.00
20 Shares Moline Scale, Pfd.	2,000.00
11 Shares General Elec. Co.	1,100.00
5 Shares E. & T. Fairbanks & Co., Ltd.	500.00
8 Shares Farr Alpaca Co.	800.00
5 Shares First National Bank, St. J., Vt.	900.00
33 Shares Fairbanks-Morse & Co.	3,300.00
28 Shares Conn. & Passumpsic R. R. Co.	2,800.00
	$15,950.00
Personal Notes	$ 575.00
Deposit in Citizens Bank, St. J., Vt.	409.90
Deposit in Citizens Bank, St. J., Vt.	7,000.00
	$7,984.90
Total Securities	$91,684.90

FUNDS AND INVESTMENTS

MEMORIAL FUNDS

Emma Taft Memorial Fund	$ 500.00
Rev. C. W. Thompson Memorial Fund	1,900.00
Orrin and Martha Hubbard Memorial Fund	150.00
	$2,550.00

MEMORIAL FUND

Josie Colvin Mtg.	$2,000.00
5 Shares General Elec. Co.	500.00
Bank Book, Citizens Bank, St. J., Vt	50.00
	$2,550.00

ANNUITY FUND

Chas. L. Buchanan Mtg.	$1,500.00
Columbia Land Investment Co. Mtg.	2,000.00
U. S. Liberty Bond	1,000.00
	$4,500.00

TRUST FUNDS

Alfred J. Printz, Mortgage	$ 2,500.00
G. B. Stark, Mortgage	3,000.00
Mary Flannery, Mortgage	1,250.00
A. P. Bratt, Mortgage	6,000.00
Dr. H. C. Mueller, Mortgage	6,500.00
H. M. Taylor, Mortgage	6,400.00
John C. Smith, Mortgage	1,000.00
E. R. Amend, Mortgage	1,700.00
Bessie Bower, Mortgage	3,000.00
Iva Norbury, Mortgage	2,000.00
U. S. Liberty Bond	1,000.00
Western Union Tel. Co. Bonds	2,000.00
American Tel. & Telg. Co	2,000.00
33 Shares Fairbanks-Morse & Co., Pfd. Stock	3,300.00
31 Shares Pennsylvania R. R. Co. Stock	1,550.00
5 Shares E. & T. Fairbanks & Co., Ltd. Stock	500.00
7 Shares Moline Scale Co. Pfd. Stock	700.00
3 Shares General Elec. Co. Stock	300.00
Bank Book Citizens Bank, St. J., Vt.	2,811.90
	$47,511.90

PERMANENT FUND

Northern Pacific R. R. Bond	$2,000.00

Rutland Canadian R. R. Bond	1,000.00
Ogdensburg & Lake Champlain R. R. Bond	1,000.00
28 Shares Conn. & Pass. R. R. Stock	2,800.00
3 Shares General Elec. Co. stock	300.00
9 Shares First National Bank Stock, St. J., Vt.	900.00
	$8,000.00

GENERAL FUND

C. W. Hawkins, Mortgage	$1,400.00
Joseph S. Barnett, Mortgage	3,000.00
Iva Norbury, Mortgage	3,000.00
Mozel V. Smith, Mortgage	3,000.00
Laura E. Snead, Mortgage	2,500.00
Personal Notes	575.00
Imperial Russian Government Bonds	3,000.00
New York, New Haven and Hartford R. R. Bond	2,000.00
St. Louis Transit Co.	1,000.00
8 Shares Farr Alpaca Co. Stock	800.00
13 Shares Moline Scale Pfd.	1,300.00
20 Shares New York, New Haven and Hartford R. R.	2000.00
10 Shares U. S. Steel Pfd. Stock	1,000.00
Bank Book Citizens Bank, St. J., Vt.	4,548.00
	$29,123.00

CHURCHES AND SOCIETIES ENDOWED WITH TRUST FUNDS

Barnet, Emeline H. Wallace Fund	$ 225.00
Barre, Foreign Work (foreign born) Mrs. Emma Taft	200.00
Calais, East, Albert Dwinell	500.00
Colchester, Deacon Farrand	500.00
Corinth Center, C. M. Page	500.00
Corinth, East, C. M. Page	500.00
Essex Center, S. G. Butler	400.00
Essex Center, S. G. Butler	500.00
Ferrisburg, Trustees of Congregational Society	1,101.00
Guildhall, C. D .Crawford	1,000.00
Guildhall, Congregational Church Society	300.00
Jericho, First, Adelia B. Harris	950.00
Marlboro, Delia Wilder	500.00
Marshfield, Lyman Clark	1,000.00
Milton, Polly Carey and Marion Ward	5,000.00
Milton, Polly Carey	1,000.00
Montgomery Center, Mary A. Paine	750.00

Newfane, Delia Wilder	500.00
Pittsfield, First, Josiah Babcock	700.00
Pittsfield, First, Harriet Babcock	2,000.00
Poultney, East	2,006.00
Roxbury, Parsonage Fund	600.00
Saxtons River, Deacon Warner	3,000.00
Sharon, Dr. Edward K. Baxter	1,500.00
Sharon, Mr. and Mrs J. Henry Marsh Memorial	200.00
Townshend, West, Mary E. Taft	1,000.00
Townshend, West, Charles N. Pierce	200.00
Townshend, West, Parsonage Fund	600.00
Tunbridge, Susan L. Jones	820.00
Weathersfield Bow, Charles Jarvis	1,900.00
West Fairlee Center, Centennial Fund	100.00
West Fairlee Center, Wilde Fund	100.00
West Fairlee Center, Kimball Fund	50.00
Westfield, William A. Richardson	13,500.00
Westfield, Betsey Stebbins	500.00
Westford, Dea. Albert Partridge	800.00
Weston, Sarah A. Sprague	500.00
Weston, Parsonage	500.00
Weston, C. P. Heald	100.00
Martha A. Durkee Fund	1,409.90
	$47,511.90

This is to certify that I have this day examined the books and accounts of John T. Ritchie, Treasurer of the Vermont Domestic Missionary Society, and find them correct, with proper vouchers for each expenditure, and the securities as listed in the foregoing different funds, and find the balance of Four Hundred Eighty Dollars and Sixty-nine Cents ($480.69) in the hands of the Treasurer.

Signed: J. C. CLARK, Auditor

St. Johnsbury, Vt., May 7th, 1921

FORMS OF BEQUEST

I give and bequeath to the "Vermont Congregational Conference" incorporated in 1872, the sum of $.....

[Signed]

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I give and bequeath to the "Vermont Domestic Missionary Society," incorporated in 1872, the sum of $.....to be applied to the charitable uses and purposes of said society.

[Signed]

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In making devices and legacies for the above corporations, care should be taken to use the entire corporate name, as follows:—"Vermont Congregational Conference," "Vermont Domestic Missionary Society."

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